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McGregor Brothers'

Floral Gems
FOR
WINTER
FLOWERING

Springfield, Ohio.

AUTUMN, 1899.



These Four TULIPS as Represented on this Page for 25 Cents, Postage Paid.

We Greet You

WITH A NEW EDITION of our Autumn Catalogue of Bulbs, in which are enumerated all varieties of Bulbs that may be valuable or desirable for Winter or Spring blooming. We have had many very flattering reports of the result from Bulbs sent out in the Fall of 1898 which affords us great satisfaction and pleasure.

We Supply Only the Highest Grade of Bulbs, which we import direct from the best European growers. Our prices will be found to compare very favorably with those of other reliable houses, and are, in fact, as low as is consistent with superior quality. Purchasers will find it to their advantage to order early in the season—as soon after the receipt of this Catalogue as convenient—while our stock is complete and unbroken.

With the exception of Lilies and some few other varieties (which are noted) we will be ready to fill orders early in September, about the date this Catalogue will reach you.

Our General Catalogue for the Spring of 1900 will be ready early in January. All purchasers from this Catalogue, and all who have been customers previous to this date, will receive a copy free at the time it is issued, and without applying for it; others wishing it will please write for it. Should any of our patrons have friends requiring Bulbs, etc., we would be pleased to forward a copy of this Catalogue on receipt of name and address. Customers changing their residence will kindly furnish us with their new address, so we may mail Catalogue properly.

Orders Lost or Stolen. Sometimes it happens that orders never reach us. When customers fail to receive their plants within a reasonable time, they should inform us of the fact, and at the same time send a duplicate of their order, also stating the form of remittance and date of original order.

Use Our Order Sheet, Filling All the Blanks Carefully. In making out your order please use the convenient Order Sheet which accompanies each Catalogue. If it is necessary to write a letter in addition, let it be on a separate sheet.

New Low Express Rates. We call your attention to the new low express rate, which is a reduction of 20 per cent from the regular merchandise rate at which plants have been expressed heretofore, and also that packages of less than 100 pounds are billed at 100 pound rates.

Remember, Plants and Bulbs can now be shipped at a lower rate than any other class of merchandise.

Bulbs and Plants by Mail. When plants are ordered by mail, we prepay postage, delivering the plants free of all expense to any postoffice in the United States.

Our Terms are Cash with the Order. No order sent C. O. D., unless a remittance of one-fourth of the amount of the order be made to guarantee the acceptance.

References. If you have any fears that we will not perform what we promise, we refer you to the First National Bank of this city.

Address all letters, and make drafts, money orders, etc., payable to

McGregor Brothers, Springfield, Ohio.

THIS CHARMING Window Box Collection

Contains Three Hyacinths, Four Tulips, Four Narcissus, Twelve Crocus, Six Snowdrops, Four Freesias, Four Alliums, Three Scilla Siberica, making 40 of the very choicest blooming bulbs for

Only 50 Cents

This Charming Window
Box Collection of 40 choice
Bulbs, postpaid, for

50
Cents.



Don't fail to try this collection, as it will make you a lovely window during the dreary Winter months

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McGREGOR BROS., Springfield, Ohio,

Gentlemen :

Please send to.

Street and Number.

Post Office

County_

State.

Express Office


How to be sent, Mail or Express

Name of Express Company.

Date of Order.

Am't of Cash.

DO NOT WRITE YOUR LETTER ON THIS ORDER SHEET.

 No orders for less than 25 Cents accepted, as our prices have been greatly reduced.

✎ All orders from Canada and Mexico must amount to \$1.00, also for each dollar's worth ordered, 10 Cents additional must be sent to pay postage, as foreign rates are higher than domestic.

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McGregor Brothers' Star Bulb Collection.

*Consisting of 40 Fine Bulbs for 50 Cents,
Delivered at Your Door, Postage Paid.....*

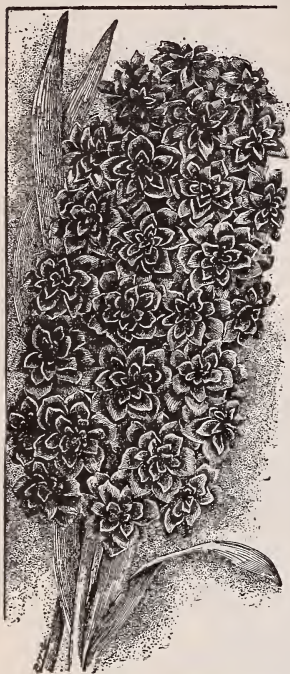
THIS SPLENDID COLLECTION OF WINTER AND SPRING FLOWERING BULBS at regular rates would cost you considerably more than \$1.00. They are of the choicest varieties of their kind and selected to give a continuous profusion of flowers. You will find all of the bulbs in this collection shown in the illustration, the figures to the right of the name of the bulb corresponding with the figures on each flower in the illustration, so that one may easily see by comparing these figures just what flowers of the different bulbs will be. See list of bulbs.

The Star Collection Consists of the Following:

1 Single Hyacinth (No. 1), a choice and rare variety; 1 Double Hyacinth (No. 2), a splendid double variety; 1 Single Tulip (No. 3), brightest and most brilliant color; 1 Double Tulip (No. 5), beautiful and distinct; 1 Parrot Tulip (No. 4), the most gorgeous colored; 1 Double Narcissus, Von Sion (No. 7), a lovely shade of golden-yellow; 1 Single Narcissus, Incomparable (No. 6), one of the richest yellow; 1 Polyanthe Narcissus, Paper White (No. 8), beautiful pure white; 2 Jonquils, single and double (Nos. 9 and 10), of the finest varieties; 4 Freesias (No. 11), fragrant and beautiful—see page 10; 2 Ixias (No. 12), spikes of the most brilliant flowers; 5 Allium (No. 13), large clusters of delicate white flowers; 2 Feather Hyacinths (No. 14), resembles a feathery plume of blue flowers; 2 Grape Hyacinths (No. 15), pretty little spikes of bells, resembling a bunch of grapes; 2 Glory of the Snow (No. 16), a lovely hardy Spring flowering bulb of azure-blue flowers, with pure white center; 2 Snow Drops (No. 17), the pretty snow drops, fair harbingers of Spring; 2 Scilla Siberica (No. 19), beautiful spikes of Hyacinth-like flowers; 5 Oxalis (No. 20), splendid for house culture, different colors; 5 Crocus (No. 18), our charming and earliest Spring flowering bulb.

ALL OF THIS SPLENDID COLLECTION OF 40 CHOICE FLOWERING BULBS FOR 50 CENTS, POSTAGE PAID.

Our Wonderful and Popular Hyacinth Collection "A"



THIS collection consists of 12 fine Hyacinths in separate colors. In making this collection great care will be exercised to include fine, sound bulbs, that will give most perfect blooms. This offer, when the number of bulbs and quantity is considered, is very low, and those who take advantage of it will be more than pleased.

SENT POSTPAID 50 Cents.
FOR

- 1 Large snow-white, double Hyacinth.
- 1 Beautiful double red Hyacinth, rich, red spikes.
- 1 Fine double light-blue Hyacinth, splendid.
- 1 Charming double pink Hyacinth, very attractive.
- 1 Striking double dark-blue Hyacinth, fine, large spike.
- 1 Lovely double yellow Hyacinth, chaste and fine.
- 1 Large, pure white single Hyacinth, splendid spike.
- 1 Gorgeous single red Hyacinth, makes a fine effect.
- 1 Most beautiful single blue Hyacinth, very fine.
- 1 Fine single yellow Hyacinth, always scarce in collections.
- 1 Waxy single pink Hyacinth, sure to please you.
- 1 Richest dark-blue single Hyacinth, splendid.

If you can have only one collection of Hyacinths, by all means try this one. We are positive it will give you great satisfaction.



Our Great New TULIP COLLECTION "B" for 50c. Postpaid.

In this elegant collection of Tulips you can easily see that we have included some of the best flowering and most popular sorts, and such as are highly recommended by the Dutch bulb growers. Tulips of all kinds are always satisfactory and sure to please. We use only good, sound bulbs, which, with ordinary care are sure to bloom. This fine collection sent postpaid for 50c.

- 2 Beautiful double snowy-white Tulips, La Candeur; very showy.
- 2 Lovely double pink Tulips, Rosine; most charming shade of pink.
- 2 Grand deep crimson, double Tulips, Gloria Solis; broad golden margin.
- 2 Pure white single Tulips, La Reine; fine showy white flower.
- 2 Charming brilliant scarlet, single Tulips, La Belle Alliance; yellow base.
- 2 Clear bright yellow, single Tulips, Chrysolora; very large.
- 2 "Sure to bloom" Parrot Tulips; the best of fancy Tulips.
- 1 Giant or Gesneriana Tulip; magnificent and free flowering.
- 1 Byblos Tulip, beautifully blotched and flaked, blue, violet and blue-black.
- 1 Bizarre Tulip, charmingly striped; crimson, purple or white.
- 1 Darwin Tulip, large self-colored; intense coloring.
- 5 Superfine single mixed, splendid bulbs; good colors.
- 5 Superfine double mixed, all kinds mixed; fine for bedding.

Our Special NARCISSUS COLLECTION "C" for 50c. Postpaid.

Never before have we been able to offer such great value in Narcissus for so little money. There is no class of bulbs which is really more beautiful than the Narcissus, with its masses of white, orange and gold. The varieties we here offer are of the very best, and the bulbs are large and fine. They are sure to flower, and many of them continue to do so year after year. This fine collection we offer for only 50c, postage paid. The collection consists of the following:

- 2 Paper white Narcissus, the most beautiful of all pure white sorts; early and easy to bloom; fine for Christmas flowering.
- 2 Single Incomparable Narcissus, a most striking variety, with an orange cup; a beautiful sort.
- 2 Narcissus Poeticus; the true pure white and orange cupped, Poet's Narcissus; a splendid variety.
- 2 Trumpet Major Narcissus, the deep golden single variety; much prized as an early forcer.
- 2 Double Alba Pleno Odorata Narcissus; the Jasmine-shaped, snow-white flowers of this sort are exquisitely scented.
- 2 Incomparable fl. pl. or "Butter and Eggs" Narcissus, a golden, double flower, much desired as a fine forcing kind.
- 2 Single Albus Stella, beautiful white flowers, with yellow cups.
- 2 Ajax Princeps, a fine variety with large yellow trumpets and white perianth.

Our New COMBINATION COLLECTION "D" for 50c. Postpaid.

Many of our customers will doubtless want parts of the above Collections, "A," "B" and "C," but as we cannot well break collections, we have provided the following fine assortment of Hyacinths, Tulips and Narcissus. This collection contains the following:

- 1 Beautiful single pink Hyacinth, very pretty.
- 1 Fine double snowy-white Hyacinth.
- 1 Striking red single Hyacinth, very showy.
- 1 Charming double light-blue Hyacinth.
- 1 Profuse flowering, pure white Narcissus, Paper White.
- 2 Double golden Von Sion Narcissus, very beautiful.
- 1 Narcissus Poeticus, pure white with orange cup.
- 1 Pure snowy-white single Tulip,
- 1 Superb double yellow Tulip.
- 2 Charming large flowering Variegated Tulips.
- 1 Beautiful single yellow Tulip, very effective.
- 1 Flashing red Tulip, very showy.
- 5 Superfine mixed Tulips, which will make a gorgeous display.
- 1 Giant Gesneriana Tulip, very striking and tall.
- 1 Parrot Tulip, a grand combination of colors.

ASSORTED "E" for 50 CENTS COLLECTION POSTPAID.

prices, when taken as a collection, very low. Abundance of beautiful showy flowers will reward the purchaser. The Collection contains the following:

- 3 Fine Hyacinths—pink, white and blue.
- 5 Superline Tulips, assorted colors.
- 1 Narcissus, Incomparable.
- 1 Anemone.

- 1 Jonquil, single.
- 1 French Ranunculus.
- 2 Snowdrops.
- 2 Scillas.
- 5 Crocus.

- 3 Feather Hyacinths.
- 2 Allium Neapolitanum.
- 2 Freesias.
- 2 Grape Hyacinths.
- 3 Oxalis.

"BORDER" "F" for 50 CENTS COLLECTION POSTPAID.

found among Dutch bulbs are contained in this Collection. It will make a fine show as a "Border Collection" surrounding other larger bulbs, or if planted by themselves produce a fine appearance. The Collection contains the following:

- 12 Mixed Crocus.
- 12 Single Snowdrops.
- 5 Allium Neapolitanum.
- 5 Chionodoxia.

- 3 Blue Grape Hyacinths.
- 3 White Grape Hyacinths.
- 3 Single Anemones.
- 5 Ixias.

- 5 Scillas.
- 5 Snowdrops Elwesii.
- 5 Feather Hyacinths.

The "Little Wonder"

COLLECTION OF

20 BULBS FOR 25 CENTS Postpaid

- 1 Large Flowering Hyacinth,
- 5 Charming little Crocus,
- 2 Fine French Ranunculus,
- 4 Snowdrops, our earliest flower.
- 3 Splendid Tulips, striking colors,
- 4 Exquisite Freesia Refracta,
- 1 Narcissus, golden flowered,

All Around One Dollar Collection.

For those who wish to expend \$1.00 in bulbs and get their money's worth in good value, we offer this fine collection

POSTPAID FOR **\$1.00**

This collection contains 75 bulbs.



- 6 Fine Hyacinths, assorted colors, single and double.
- 6 Tulips, double and single, mixed colors.
- 8 Fine assorted Narcissus different kinds.
- 20 Crocus, all colors.

- 5 Snowdrops.
- 5 Spanish Iris.
- 5 Allium Neapolitanum.
- 5 Scillas.
- 5 Grape Hyacinths.
- 5 Frittelarias.
- 5 Sparaxis.



50 CENT BARGAINS IN BULBS, ROSES AND PLANTS

The Plants and Bulbs offered in these collections are as fine as can be purchased anywhere and are cheaper than you can get them from any other reliable firm. Try some of them and be convinced. NO TWO ALIKE IN THESE SETS. By mail postpaid. Safe arrival and satisfaction guaranteed. ORDER BY THE NUMBERS.

LIST OF SETS.

NUMBER.	PRICE.
No. 1—Twelve Ever-blooming Roses, twelve colors.	50 cents
No. 2—Twelve Prize winning Chrysanthemums, all different.	50 cents
No. 3—Ten lovely Fuchsias, all different.	50 cents
No. 4—Ten elegant Double Geraniums.	50 cents
No. 5—Ten elegant Single Geraniums.	50 cents
No. 6—Ten assorted Geraniums, Double, Single and Scented.	50 cents
No. 7—Ten choice Double Hyacinths, assorted colors.	50 cents
No. 8—Ten choice Single Hyacinths, assorted colors.	50 cents
No. 9—Five Double and five Single Hyacinths.	50 cents
No. 10—Twelve assorted Hyacinths. Double, Single and Roman.	50 cents
No. 11—Ten lovely Begonias, choicest kinds.	50 cents
No. 12—Fifteen choice Narcissus.	50 cents

NUMBER.	PRICE.
No. 13—Twenty Lilies of the Valley, exquisite.	50 cents
No. 14—Twelve magnificent Coleus, bright colors.	50 cents
No. 15—Four Chinese Sacred Lilies, or Joss Flowers.	50 cents
No. 16—Sixty Crocus, in four kinds.	50 cents
No. 17—Twenty-five Parrot Tulips, mixed.	50 cents
No. 18—Twenty-five Double Tulips, mixed.	50 cents
No. 19—Twenty-five Single Tulips, mixed.	50 cents
No. 20—Twelve Vines and Plants, suitable for vases and baskets.	50 cents
No. 21—Four large and very fine decorative plants, one Orange, one Silk Oak, one Rex Begonia, and one fine plant of Palm, Latania Barbonica.	50 cents
No. 22—Six fragrant Carnation Pinks ready to bloom.	50 cents
No. 23—Eight choice Hibiscus, all colors.	50 cents
No. 24—Four Begonia Rex, all different.	50 cents

REMEMBER, these sets sent by mail, postpaid, safe arrival and satisfaction guaranteed. ORDER BY NUMBERS.

Fine Double Named Hyacinths

Price, Your Selection, 10 Cents Each.

HERE is nothing in the line of bulbs which will give such genuine satisfaction as the Hyacinth. Producing, as it does, such elegant spikes, and with its great durability and fragrance, it is unexcelled for out door or window culture. Our grower is one of the best in Holland, and we list below such varieties as we know are especially fine for producing fine spikes, large bells and exquisite colorings. Our bulbs are of good size, solid and well formed. Named Hyacinths are to be preferred to unnamed and mixed.

Alba Superbissima—Immense white flowers; one of the finest known.

Grandeur a Merveille—Rosy-white, large truss.

Madam Van der Hoop—Large, snowy-white spikes; very showy.

Roi des Belges—Beautiful crimson bells; a fine bloomer.

Robert Steiger—Very fine, large, compact spike of bright crimson-red flowers; should be in every collection.

Gigantea—Thick spikes and large bells of a beautiful flesh color. One of the grandest sorts.

(Rose) **Baron Von Thuyl**—Pale Rose, very early; a good sort.

Gertrude—Fine red; large compact truss; a splendid variety for bedding, as it stands very erect; also first class for forcing.

Grand Maitre—A tall grower, with huge, thick trusses of the loveliest, clear porcelain-blue; flowers of the most perfect shape.

Pleneman—A magnificent sort, with enormous sky-blue bells, arranged in loose, graceful spikes of great size.

Regulus—Porcelain-blue, large spike, a very good variety for forcing and bedding.

King of the Blues—Deep glossy-blue, large compact spike, the finest dark-blue Hyacinth in Cultivation.

(Blue) **Baron Von Thuyl**—Dark, bright blue, large compact spike.

La Citroniere—Lemon yellow; a good late bloomer; one of the best of its color.

We offer the above fine list of Double Named Hyacinth, your selection, at 10 cents each.

Special Offer. With the idea of securing larger orders, we make the following very liberal offer: For \$1.00 we will send any Twelve Hyacinths that you may select from the above list, postage paid; or we will send by express the entire list of Fourteen fine Single Named Hyacinths for \$1.00, purchaser paying express charges. We are confident you will feel amply repaid when these bulbs flower.

Unnamed or Mixed Double Hyacinths In Separate Colors.

It must not be understood that the Hyacinths offered below are poor bulbs because offered at a low price. They are just what is wanted for bedding, massing and forcing, and where a grand display is wanted at a low figure. These bulbs are the product of one of the best growers in Holland, and are good size, solid and will produce splendid flowers. We offer them in the following separate colors: (Each color may embrace several shades of flowers).

PURE WHITE, BLUSH-WHITE, ROSE or PINK, RED,
LIGHT-BLUE, DARK-BLUE and YELLOW.

Price, 5c each; 50c Per Dozen. By Mail, Postpaid.



\$1.—CEMETERY BULB COLLECTION—\$1.

The welcome reception tendered this collection by our patrons last year induces us to offer it again this year. It is remarkably cheap and will give splendid satisfaction. Give it a trial.

3 Double Pure White Hyacinths of the Choicest Varieties.

3 Single Lovely White Hyacinths with fine large spikes of flowers

3 Large Paper White Narcissus, very showy, with pure white flowers.

5 Beautiful Allium Neapolitanum

6 Large White Tulips, beautiful flowers.

10 Giant Snowdrops, with lovely flowers.

20 Crocus, large flowering, pure white.

These are the best for Cemetery planting, and will make a beautiful early Spring decoration. Nothing can be more appropriate

Choice Single Named Hyacinths

Price, Your Selection, 10 Cents Each.

SINGLE HYACINTHS are, by some, held in less estimation than double ones; but on a closer acquaintance with their fine qualities, they will be found more deserving of cultivation. They are desirable for their early flowering, especially in pots or glasses. We have selected with great care this fine list of choice varieties of Single Hyacinths and have listed such as are of the very finest, producing large, full trusses, good bells, and of excellent shades of color.

Bouquet Royal—Most beautiful compact spikes of large ivory-white flowers; double and finely imbricated.

La Virginité—(The Virgin.) Beautiful bluish white; flowers and spikes well formed, and very large; good for pots and glasses.

Non-Plus Ultra—Pure, waxy white, very large bells. Extra fine for cutting, for which purpose it should be more extensively used. It is also very useful for out-door because of its erect habit.

Bouquet Tendre—Flowers of fine size, semi-double, firm and compact; color carmine-rose.

Princess Royal—Deep scarlet, extra large, compact spike, very early. Is found in every collection for exhibition, which is a proof of its great value.

Regina Victoria—Fine salmon rose, good bells.

Czar Nicholas—An early sort with rosy-pink bells. A favorite and beautiful variety, and very durable.

Prince of Orange—Deep scarlet, extra large, compact spike, very early. This variety is found in every collection for exhibition, which is proof of its great value.

Bloksburg—Porcelain blue, marbled, extra large bells and spikes, one of the finest light blue Hyacinths in cultivation.

Double Charles Dickens—Fine dark-blue, shaded lilac; large double bells and extra large spikes; the finest of the double dark blues.

General Antick—A good light blue, good spikes and large bells.

Prince of Saxony—Dark glittering blue, very fine large truss; early and easy to force.

Carl, Crown Prince of Sweden—A good dark blue, inclined to violet; very large spikes and large bells.

Goethe—Splendid pale yellow, fine bells.

SPECIAL OFFER—As a special inducement to our customers, we offer any 12 Double Hyacinths, selected by the purchaser, from above list, for only \$1.00. Sent by mail, postage paid. Or we will send for \$1.00 the entire list of 14 varieties, by express, the purchaser paying express charges. This is a splendid offer. We offer the above fine list of choice single named Hyacinths at 10 cents each, your selection.

Unnamed or Mixed Single Hyacinths

In Separate Colors.

You can do no better if you want a fine display for a small amount of money than to order a goodly lot of the following splendid bulbs. We offer these fine mixed Single Hyacinths, in separate colors, as follows:

PURE WHITE, BLUSH WHITE, ROSE or PINK,
RED, LIGHT BLUE, DARK BLUE and YELLOW.

Price, 5 cents each; 50 cents per dozen, by mail, postpaid.



SPECIAL OFFER

For \$1.00 we will send you, postage paid, 25 Hyacinths, Single and Double, all colors, mixed (Single and Double varieties separate, but not the colors), the best mixture of sound, well matured Hyacinths, and full range of colors. For 50 cents we will send half the amount.



Two Vases of Roman Hyacinths.

ALLIUM NEAPOLITANUM.

A very pretty Winter-blooming bulb. Its flower stems are twenty inches high, supporting a large cluster of delicate white flowers, which keep perfect many weeks. Plant three to six bulbs in a five inch pot, and you will have a beautiful object for fully a month in Winter. Nothing will give you more pleasure for so small an outlay. Large bulbs sure to bloom. Price, 3 cents each; two for 5 cents; five for 10 cents.

ANEMONES.

Very beautiful and brilliant Spring flowering bulbs, which should be found in all gardens. They possess a beautiful range of very fine colors, such as brilliant scarlet, red, blue, rose, striped, carnation, etc. For pot culture they are very fine indeed, and succeed best if left in the same pot year after year without removing or disturbing.

Single—Mixed colors. Price, 3c each; 25c per dozen.

Double—Mixed colors. Price, 4c each; 35c per dozen.

SPARAXIAS.

These differ from the *Ixias* in their dwarf habit, time of flowering and brilliancy of coloring, ranging through the various shades of crimson, scarlet and white, mottled, striped and splashed in every conceivable manner. Cultivate as *Ixias*. Price, 3c each; two for 5c; 25c per dozen.

GRAPE HYACINTH.

This charming little gem should be found in every garden in abundance. It has been termed the "Blue Lily of the Valley," and when planted in a mass with that sweet flower it does resemble it to some extent, and forms a most fascinating combination. It grows about the same height and blooms about the same time each Spring. It increases rapidly and when once planted a mass of beautiful blossoms, which will increase each year, is insured. But for Winter blooming in pots it is of the greatest value. Plant five or six bulbs in a five inch pot and you will have as lovely a pot of bloom as you can imagine.

Blue—Price, 3c each; twelve for 25c.

White—Price, 3c each; ten for 25c.



Grape Hyacinth.

...Roman Hyacinths...

WE WISH to call special attention to these beautiful white Roman Hyacinths, which are so valuable for early Winter blooming. They are among the few flowers which can be had as early as Christmas and New Years. Three can be planted in a four-inch pot, which, when in bloom, forms a mass of waxy bells of unrivalled beauty and fragrance. Each bulb throws up several flower spikes. Don't fail to plant a quantity of them.

Single White—The most popular of all. Every window should have several pots of these. Exquisite bells, white as the driven snow, and pleasantly fragrant. Never fails to bloom. Price, 5 cents each; 50 cents per dozen.

DUTCH ROMAN, or MINIATURE DUTCH HYACINTHS.

These so-called Dutch Romans are really very small single Dutch Hyacinths, which bloom similar to the true French Roman offered above, except they are later. They make pretty little sprays of flower.

Blue—Price, 3 cents each.

Pink—Price, 3 cents each.

SUMMER FLOWERING HYACINTHS.

Hyacinthus Candicans—This is unlike our Spring blooming Hyacinths. Its leaves are deep green, fleshy, resembling some of the *Yuccas*. The flowers are white, in handsome pendulous bells arranged on pyramidal spikes, often reaching the height of five feet or more in strong plants. A strong bulb will give from two to three flower spikes, and these produce from thirty to forty flowers. The plants come into bloom in July and bloom continuously until October. Price, 10c each; 3 for 25c.

Scilla Siberica or Star Hyacinth—The cream of nearly all hardy Spring bulbs, producing in profusion masses of exquisite rich blue flowers almost before the snow has disappeared. If grown in masses the flowers fairly carpet the ground; and if grown with *Snowdrops* and *Crocus*, for contrast, the effect is magnificent. They should be largely planted as undergrowth in Hyacinth beds, etc. Grown in pots they may be had in bloom from Christmas to April, if brought in succession. Price, 3c each; 30c per dozen.

Scilla Campanulata—Blue. Beautiful spikes of Hyacinth-shaped flowers. A fine sort for cutting and for Winter blooming. Price, 3c each; 30c per dozen.



Feather or Cockade Hyacinths.

FEATHER OR COCKADE HYACINTHS.

Of this elegant Hyacinth the spike of bloom resembles a feathery plume, and is of a fine blue color. The bloom first appears as a tassel about an inch or two long, of a rich blue color, but as it expands is marked with pink, and at the end of two months is developed into a beautiful plume six inches in length, of exquisite coloring—pink, violet and blue. Desirable for both house and garden. The bulbs rapidly increase and are perfectly hardy. We have secured a fine supply this season. Price, 3c each; six for 15c; twelve for 25c.

CHIONDOXIA LUCILLÆ.

(Glory of the Snow.) One of the most lovely hardy flowering Spring bulbous plants ever introduced, producing lovely azure-blue flowers, with pure white centers. It is one of the earliest of all flowers, blooming before the *Crocus* and sure to be more than satisfactory. Price, 3c each; two for 5c; twelve for 25c.

ALLIUM MOLY LUTEUM.

A very attractive and satisfactory flower; of dwarfer habit than *Allium Neapolitanum*, but bearing clear yellow flowers twice as large as those of *Neapolitanum*. The *Allium*'s are of easy growth and very pretty. Price, 3c each; six for 15c; 25c per dozen.

TULIPS.

PEACOCK, OR SUN'S EYE TULIP.

Color clear, transparent, intense dazzling scarlet with a golden band through three of its six petals, and a large jet black center, which is bordered with pure gold; each petal is also tipped white. The first of all Tulips to bloom. Price, 7 cents each; four for 25 cents.

GOLDEN CROWN TULIP.

This fine variety bears deep yellow flowers, edged with red; as an out-door sort and for cutting it is superb. Price, 5 cents each; six for 25 cents.

TWO FINE LATE TULIPS.

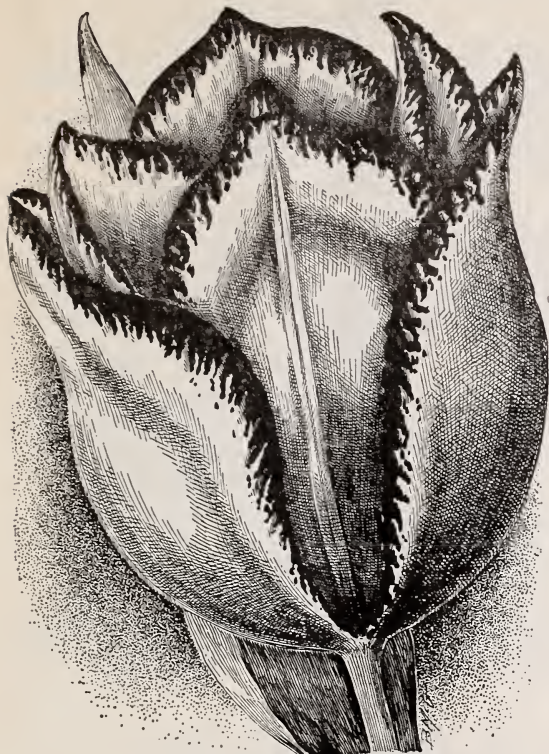
These two varieties are beautiful planted together or singly. They give a fine contrast in color.

BOUTON D'OR.

Deep golden-yellow, graceful form, beautiful flower; invaluable for out-door cutting. Price, 4c each; 40c per dozen.

SULPHUR CROWN.

White, rose bordered; a variety that can be recommended for late blooming. Price, 4 cents each; 40 cents per dozen.



Golden Crown Tulip.

CHOICE SINGLE TULIPS.

Price, 4 cents each; 40 cents per dozen.

La Reine—(The Queen). Beautiful clear white; best white for culture.

Cottage Maid—Carmine-pink, center of petals feathered white, base yellow; a charming variety.

Belle Alliance—Brilliant scarlet, yellow base, large flower, fine for bedding.

Chryselora—Clear, bright yellow, very large, borne on tall, strong stems. Remains on stem a long time.

Snowball—A fine snowy-white, an easy grower, a beautiful sort.

Artus—Bronzy-scarlet, well shaped flower.

Proserpine—The "Queen of Tulips." Large and very effective, rich, silky roses of perfect form.

Yellow Prince of Orange—Clear yellow; one of the best yellows.

Standard Royal Silver—White, feathered with cherry crimson, extra fine for beds. The finest of the feathered Tulips.

Kaiser-Kroon—Deep crimson; broad orange-yellow margin, large, exceedingly effective.

SPECIAL OFFER. One each of the above finest named Single Tulips, 30 cents.

FINEST DOUBLE NAMED TULIPS.

Price, 4 cents each; 40 cents per Dozen.

Rex Rubrorum—Bright crimson-scarlet, superb for bedding; large and showy.

La Candeur—Pure white, very full and large, extensively grown for bedding.

Yellow Rose—Large, golden-yellow, very showy, late, fine bedder and sweet scented.

Rose Blanche—Extra large, pure white, slightly tipped green; good form.

Rosina—Beautiful, rich, clear pink; delicate and handsome.

Gloria Solis—A grand flower, deep crimson, with broad, bedden margin; very large.

Murillo—Large, graceful flowers of flesh-white, bordered and clouded rose.

Imperator Rubrorum—Very fine bright scarlet, finest of all double scarlets for forcing.

Overwinnaar—Fine variegated, striped violet and white; splendid sort.

Count Leicester—Orange and yellow feathered.

Special Offer. One each of the above choice assortment, finest Double Named Tulips, for 35 cents.



Peacock Tulip.



Crocuses.

The Crocus is one of the first flowers of Spring, and one of the best for blooming in the house during the Winter. They bloom splendidly when planted on the lawn among the grass. They lift their bright heads up through the sod very early, and give the lawn a charming aspect. The sorts we offer are strong and fine.

Price, named sorts, 10 cts. per dozen; mixed, 8 cts. per dozen,

Mont Blanc—Purest white, very large flower.
 Baron von Brunow—A fine blue; large.
 Dandy—Blue; a good sort.
 Walter Scott—Striped; large.
 Grootwoorst—Snow-white.
 Argus—Fine, striped.
 Large Yellow—Large flower of most brilliant yellow.
 LaMalesteuse—Violet striped, large flower.
 Queen Victoria—Beautiful, large, pure white.
 Prince Aibert—A charming blue.

SPECIAL OFFER—100 named Crocus, purchaser's selection, 60 cents by mail, 50 cents by express; 100 mixed Crocus, first-class bulbs, 50 cents by mail, 40 cents by express.

Mixed Tulips.

We have a large stock of unnamed Tulips for bedding, which we price so low as to make a large mass of these showy flowers a matter of trifling expense. They are excellent bulbs, and will bear handsome blooms.

Superfine Mixture Single Tulips—A first-class mixture. Price, 35 cents per dozen; \$2.00 per hundred.

Superfine Mixture Double Tulips—A fine mixture. Price, 35 cents per dozen; \$2.00 per hundred.

PARROT TULIPS.

A very distinct species, producing brilliantly colored flowers of great size and grotesque shape. Their flowers are larger than the other kinds, and the colors striking and beautiful. Some will be clear yellow, others deep crimson, and others striped with crimson. They are very gay and effective in mixed borders, and flowering somewhat late, form a fine succession to the early flowering variety. All colors mixed, 4 cents each; 40 cents per dozen.

DARWIN TULIPS.

This brilliant race of Tulips, of Flemish origin, belongs to the late or May flowering section, and when planted with the early sorts, greatly lengthens the Tulip season. Darwin Tulips are extensively grown for bedding or massing. The flowers are very large. Price, 5 cents each.

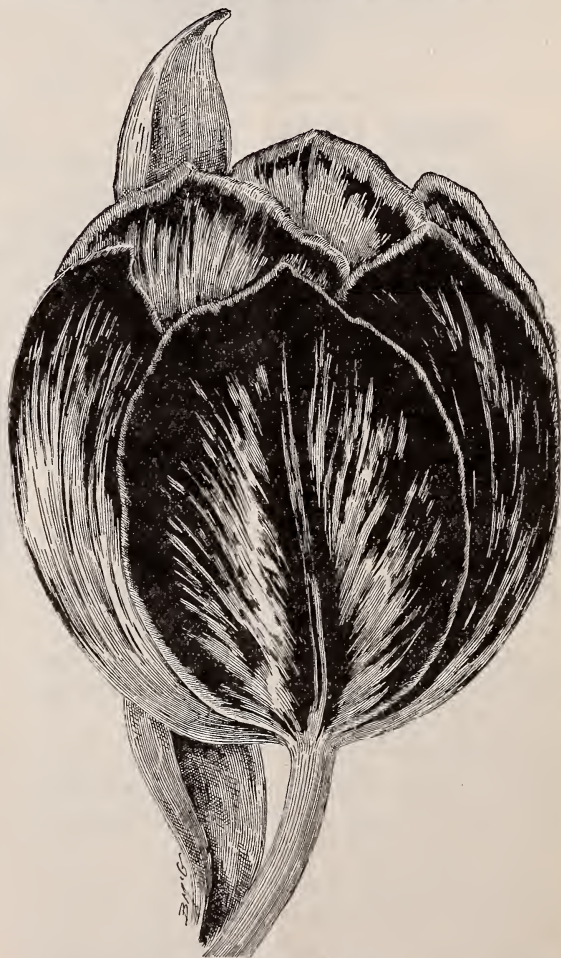
SHOW TULIPS.

Single Bizarres—Yellow ground, with crimson-red or white markings. Price; 5 cents each.

Single Byblemens—White ground with purple-lilac or black markings. Price, 5 cents each.

Giant, or Gesneriana Tulip—Scarlet Gesneriana.

The tallest, largest flowered and showiest of all Tulips for bedding out in masses. Height, two feet. Flowers of an enormous size. Color rich crimson-scarlet with glittering blue-black center. Price, 5 cents each; six for 25 cents.



GESNERIANA TULIP.



IRIS HISPANICA.

(Spanish Iris.)

This is a most charming dwarf Iris, suitable for planting in beds or for pot culture. They furnish a most brilliant mass of color, and nothing more effective can be planted in the border. We offer three named sorts as follows:

Chrysolora—Yellow.

Darling—Blue.

Blanche Superbe—White.

Price, 3 cents each; 25 cents per dozen.

NARCISSUS.

These charming, graceful flowers are prime favorites for early blooming in the garden, and are largely forced by florists for Winter flowers. They are bright and hardy (except the Polyanthus sorts), and nearly all are most deliciously fragrant; no flower better deserves its popularity. Of easy culture, they are equally satisfactory for potting and for the open bed and borders, while their rush-like, glaucous foliage and white and yellow flowers are very much admired.

Single or Trumpet Narcissus.

Single Von Sion or Trumpet Majors—Flower large and almost of a deep golden. Highly prized as an early forcing sort. Price, 5 cents each; 40 cents per dozen.

Ajax Princeps—A fine variety, with large yellow trumpets and white perianth. Price, 4c. each; 40c. per doz.

Albus Stella—White, star-shaped flowers, with distinct yellow trumpet; very beautiful, and one of the most popular forcing and cutting varieties. Price, 4 cents each; 35 cents per dozen.

Incomparabilis Simplex—Sulphury-yellow petals. A good variety. Price, 4 cents each; 40 cents per dozen.

Double Peerless Narcissus, or Camellia-Flowered Daffodil.

Incomparable, fl. pl.—"Butter and Eggs," full double flowers of rich yellow, with orange nectary. Splendid forcing variety. Price, 4 cents each; 40 cents per dozen.

Orange Phoenix—"Eggs and Bacon." Beautiful double white flowers, with orange center. Splendid for pot culture and cutting. Price, 5 cents each; 50 cents per dozen.

Von Sion—(The Golden Daffodil.) A lovely shade of golden yellow. The flowers are large and of fine form. Price, 4 cents each; 40 cents per dozen.

Alba Plena Odorata—The double white Port's Narcissus, snow-white. Cape Jessamine-like flowers. Exquisitely scented. Fine for forcing. Price, 4 cts.; 40 cts. per dozen.



Single Trumpet Narcissus.

Polyanthus Narcissus.

Paper White—This beautiful pure white sort is several weeks earlier than the ordinary Polyanthus, and can be had in bloom in a short time. Just the thing for Christmas. Large clusters of pure white flowers, which remain perfect for several weeks. Plant early. Extra size bulbs. Price, 4 cts. each; 40 cts. per doz.

Grand Soleil d'Or—Rich yellow, with reddish orange cup—a favorite bedding and cutting variety. Price, 5c. each; 50c. per doz.

Grand Monarque—Crown a lovely primrose shade, a very effective flower. Price, 8 cents each; 75 cents per dozen.



Double Narcissus.

NARCISSUS JONQUILLA.

(JONQUILIS.)

MUCH prized for their charming, golden and deliciously sweet-scented flowers, perfectly hardy, and flowering very early in the spring; they are admirably adapted for Winter forcing.

Single Jonquil—The well-known favorite, delicately scented and beautiful for forcing. Rich yellow. Very fragrant. Price, two for 5 cents; 20 cents per dozen.

Double Jonquil—Heads of small but very double deep golden-yellow flowers, powerfully scented and good for forcing. Price, 6 cents each; 60 cents per dozen.

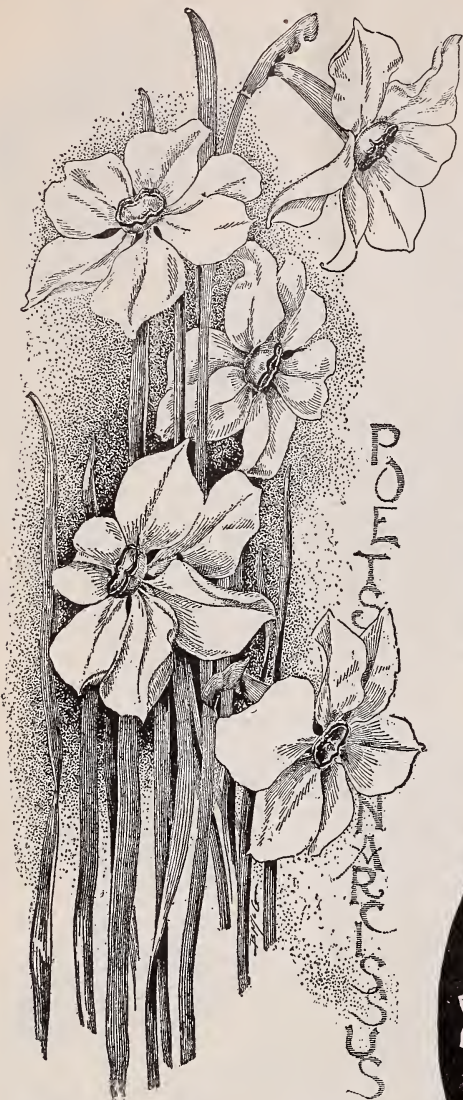
Campanelle—Large, six lobed yellow flowers, four to six on a stem, fine for forcing, and the one generally preferred by florists. Price, 4c each; three for 10 cents; 25 cents per dozen.

NARCISSUS POETICUS.

Poeticus—The "Pheasant's Eye," or "Poet's Narcissus;" pure white flower, with orange cup edged with crimson. Splendid cut flower. Price, 3 cents each; 30 cents per dozen.

IXIAS.

THE Ixias produce their beautiful flowers in spikes, and are of the most dazzling and brilliant colors and sure to attract great attention. It is only a few years that they have been grown in this country to any extent, but in that time, like the Freesias, they have become very popular. For pot culture in the house they give great satisfaction, being easy of culture and free bloomers. Plant in October (six to eight in a 5-inch pot) in sandy loam, one inch deep, pressing the soil firmly over the bulbs. Put away in a cool cellar or frame and cover with ashes. Water sparingly until the flower spikes appear. They may then be brought to the light and given plenty of air, sunshine and water. Finest new English sorts in variety. Price; 3 cents each; two for 5 cents; 15 cents per dozen



French Ranunculus.

STRIKINGLY beautiful flowers, well adapted to pot culture in the house. The individual flowers are about two inches in diameter, as full and double as the finest Camelia or Rose, and as a cut flower quite as successful as the Rose itself. They are not hardy, and some pains must be taken to insure success when planted out in beds. Like Anemones, they do best planted in very rich soil, having a southern exposure to escape our sharp winds and too much sun. The beds should have good drainage, and the soil be light and warm. Plant three inches deep, in October or November, and press the earth close around them. On the approach of cold weather the beds should be thoroughly protected with leaves, litter or manure, which should be covered with boards. When warm weather approaches, this covering is removed, and success is tolerably certain. They will amply repay all care bestowed upon them. For house culture follow the directions given for Anemones, being careful to keep the pots, after growth has commenced, in a cool, moist atmosphere. Price, 4 cents each; eight for 25 cents.

Chinese Sacred Narcissus.

Oriental Lily, or "Joss Flower"—The most satisfactory of all Winter blooming bulbs. No home should be without one. Nothing is easier cared for or gives as great an abundance of deliciously-scented bloom. Fill a bowl or similar vessel with pebbles, in which place the bulb, setting it about one-half its depth, so that it will be held firmly, then fill with water to the top of the pebbles, and place in a warm sunny window. The bulb will at once commence rapid growth, and bloom in four or five weeks. The bulbs are so large and have so much vitality they can be kept perfectly dry all Winter, and be planted any time when the flowers are desired. Extra size bulbs, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents.



Chinese Sacred Lily.

The Bermuda Buttercup Oxalis

An Unrivalled Winter-Flowering Pot
Plant of the Easiest Culture,
Succeeding with Everybody.

THIS is one of the finest Winter flowering plants for pot culture that we have ever seen; it is such a strong, luxuriant grower that one bulb will be sufficient for a 7 or 8 inch pot. Place in a dark, cool position for a few weeks to root thoroughly, and remove to a sunny situation in the window, and the great uninterrupted profusion of bloom produced for weeks will astonish and delight you. The flowers are of the purest buttercup-yellow. When grown in a partially shaded situation the flowers remain open all the time. Properly treated, the plant will flower in six weeks from the time the bulbs are planted. Price, 5 cents each; 50 cents per dozen.

Other Oxalis.

Admirably adapted to house culture, and nothing is prettier for window plants, as they flower freely. Plant in pots, six or eight bulbs in a pot, and cover about one inch deep.

Bowell—Vivid rosy crimson, large flower, remarkably fine.

Versicolor—Rose and white. Delicately beautiful.

Price, 4 cents each; 25 cents per dozen.



The Bermuda Buttercup Oxalis.

Hyacinthus Belgicus, or Scilla Nutens.

This is a very pretty little blue flowering variety, said to be the same as or closely resembling the Harebell or Bluebell of England. Price, 3 cents each; 25 cents per dozen.



Ophiopogon Jaburan Variegata.

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A hardy herbaceous plant from China, with narrow reed-like foliage having racemes of purple flowers, standing well above the foliage. This makes a very pretty plant for a vase, hanging basket or small Jardiniere; it also makes an elegant pot plant for the house. See illustration. Price, 25 cents each.

❖❖❖ Snowdrops ❖❖❖

These are the first flowers to greet us in the Spring, their pretty, drooping, snow-white blossoms appearing in March, a few days ahead of Scilla Siberica, with which they form a charming contrast. They are also charming for house culture in pots, blooming usually at Christmas. The Giant Snowdrops we offer are much superior to the common variety, producing larger flowers.

Giant Single Snowdrop—Price, 3 cents each; 25 cents per doz.

Giant Double Snowdrop—Price, 4 cents each; 30 cents per doz.

Snowdrop, Elweisii—A very large, tall variety. Fine for cutting. Flowers three times the size of ordinary Single Snowdrops and sweet-scented. Price, 4c each; three for 10c; 35c per dozen.

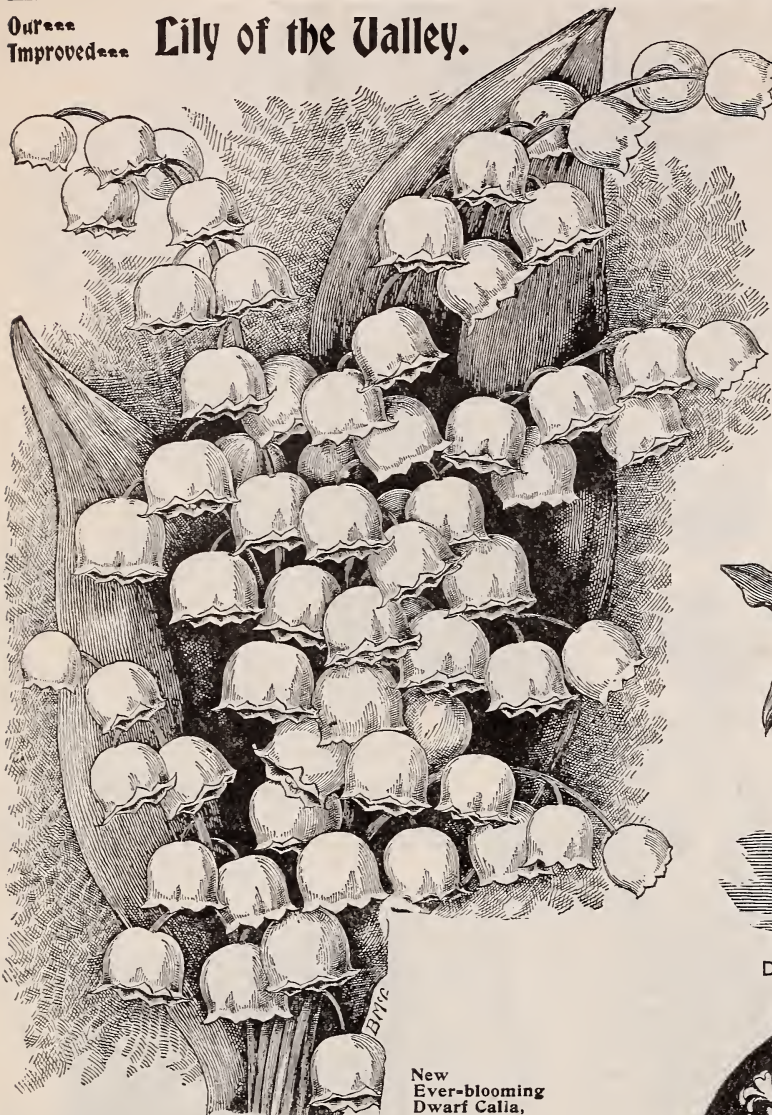


Snowdrops.

Our

Improved

Lily of the Valley.



New
Ever-blooming
Dwarf Calla,

✿ The Gem. ✿

Having given it a fair trial with the ordinary variety known as the Calla Lily, the only objection to the old variety is that it sometimes grows tall and scraggy; but the "Gem" is of strong and dwarf habits. The foliage is of a lustrous dark green, and is produced in great abundance. Its flowers are produced in the greatest profusion, being literally an ever-bloomer; it will bloom freely all Summer out in the open ground; in September it can be lifted and potted and will continue blooming all Winter. Price, 15 cents each; large plants, 25 cents.

✿ Calla Richardia ✿

(Spotted Calla.)

The Richardia Alba, or Spotted Calla, is a plant of magnificent appearance. The leaves are of the richest green, spotted with pure white. The flowers are white, with a rich chocolate throat. It can either be grown in a pot, planted in a border, or in a vase or rustic stand, the latter being a very effective way of showing its beauty. Price, 15 cents each; large bulbs, 25 cents each.

The Beautiful Lemon Lily of Siberia.

(Hemerocallis Flava.)

One of the most beautiful and desirable Lillies in existence. You plant it once and you have it for all time. Few plants present a more striking appearance on the lawn or border than a large clump of this clear lemon-colored lily, which is produced in the greatest profusion, lasting in flower for a long time. It is perfectly hardy, requiring not the slightest protection and no care, after being once started. Price, 20c each..

Lily of the Valley.

Too well known to need any special description. Every one knows their value for outdoor blooming, but all do not realize that their sprays of fairy bells can be obtained in Winter just as easily. We offer strong, imported pips that have been grown especially for Winter blooming. Plant half a dozen pips in a four-inch pot, keep rather cool until well started, then bring to the light and warmth and keep freely supplied with water. You will be surprised at the rapidity of their growth and at the size of their lovely, fragrant bells. We can supply the bulbs all winter. Price, 4 cents each; 40c per dozen.



Dwarf Calla Lily, The Gem



Lemon Lily of Siberia.



LILIUM CANDIDUM.

The Madonna, or Annunciation Lily.

This Lily is the emblem of purity. The deep lemon anthers contrast beautifully with the wax-like petals. The fragrance is delicious and never oppressive. It is one of the best of Lilies to grow in the house or outside; perfectly hardy. Price, 15 cents each; four for 50 cents.

Lilium Speciosum Rubrum.

Lancifolium.

Large wild flowers, recurving more or less at the tips. Among the showiest of all Lilies, and perhaps the most robust and the most radiantly beautiful. Very fragrant and hardy. Lovely rose and white, spotted crimson. Price, 20 cents each.

LILIUM SPECIOSUM ALBUM.

A variety of the above, with broad, flat stems and immense heads of flowers. Pure white and very fragrant; petals gracefully recurved; a very fine sort. Price, 20 cents each.

LILIUM AURATUM.

Golden-Rayed Queen of Lilies.

The grandest Lily grown, and a never-failing delight. We take pleasure in showing it to people who have never seen it. It seldom fails to create a sensation. The Perfume is exquisite—light, yet penetrating. Magnificent by daylight, but by moonlight a well grown plant, carrying five or more blooms, is simply indescribably beautiful. Also known as "Gold Banded Lily from Japan." Price, 20 cents each. Ready in November.

The True Bermuda Easter Lily,

LILIUM HARRISII.

This peerless Lily is the greatest acquisition to floriculture made in many years. Their profusion of bloom, the remarkably short time required to bring them into flower, and the certainty to produce abundant bloom and also the ease with which they can be manipulated to be flowered at any desired period, such as Christmas, Easter and other special occasions, render them invaluable. The flowers are delightfully fragrant, pure waxy-white, of great substance, and if cut as soon as they are open or partially open, they can be kept for two weeks. Bulbs potted in August can be had in flower in November if desired. The quantity of bloom produced is marvelous, the average production of bulbs five to seven inches in circumference, even when forced is from five to eight flowers; and of bulbs seven to nine inches, eight to twelve flowers. Blooming plants in pots form typical Easter offerings and presents, for decoration of the window, table, house or church. Nothing is more appropriately beautiful and highly appreciated. Thousands upon thousands are sold in the large cities every Winter for this purpose. As a garden lily it is of great beauty, being entirely hardy excepting in northern climates where it requires a protection of leaves or litter to the depth of five or six inches. Price, 20 cents each; three for 50 cents.

The Mammoth Black Calla, THE GREAT DRAGON ARUM.

This plant has the honor of producing the largest flower of any plant that is hardy in this country. They are simply enormous. The leaf stems and flower stalk are all spotted with purple, like an adder, and upon the top of the latter opens a flower of gigantic size and curious color. On the outside it is of a light green color, while the inside is of a deep red-purple, glistening beautifully in the sun with a satin sheen. The Spadix in the center of the flower is of a glossy, purple-black color. As will be seen from the cut, the plant resembles a palm in general appearance. Price, good bulbs, 20c each; extra large bulbs, 40 cents each; three for \$1.00.

JACOBEEAN LILY.

Amaryllis Formossima.

This grand bulb will flower either Summer or Winter. Keep dry during Summer for Winter blooming, and reverse the order for Summer bedding. The flowers are of the darkest scarlet, very rich and pure, and produced freely. Splendid for potculture, and can be grown in water like Hyacinths; flowers in Summer if kept dry during Winter. Price, 15 cents each.



The True Bermuda Easter Lily.

Hardy Ever-Blooming Roses

Our "None Such" Collection of 12 Hardy Ever-Blooming Roses for 50 Cents.

We have combined in this collection only such kinds as bloom freely, and that will stand zero weather. No change will be made in the collection. It must be ordered complete.



Md. Schwallier.

Etoile de Lyon, Star of Lyon—This magnificent Tea Rose is a rich golden-yellow, a strong, healthy and vigorous grower, immense bloomer, bearing flowers and buds early and late. The flowers are very deep, rich and full, excellent substance, very sweet. Remarkably hardy, frequently standing through the hottest part of the Summer. Price, 10c. each.

Maurice Rouvier—One of the distinguishing characteristics of this superb new Rose is its enormous size—the flowers are immense; fine globular form, very full and exceedingly sweet; the color is bright pinkish rose, elegantly tinted with shades of buff, prettily veined with deep shining crimson, while many of the petals have a wide border of silvery-white, which gives the flower a lighter effect than the color would indicate.

Mademoiselle Franciska Kruger—The striking color of this handsome Rose places it at once in the front as a bud producer in the open air. It is closely allied to Catherine Mermet, and resembles it in everything save color. In its shading of deep coppery-yellow it stands unique and distinct from all others. The flowers when open is of good size and very symmetrical. One of the finest Roses to plant in masses and clumps. Price, 10 cents each.

The Great "None Such" Collection of Roses, Costing at Regular Prices \$1.20, for 50c. Fine two-year-old Plants, \$1.50

The New "Ideal" Rose Collection of Twenty-five Winter-Blooming Roses for \$1.00

THEY are suitable for flowering in pots in the house during Winter, and then in Spring plant out in the garden, where they will continue to bloom all Summer. If you do not desire them for house flowering, they can (at least in Southern latitudes) be planted out in the flower border and covered over lightly with straw, evergreen boughs or any light material, to be removed in early Spring. This will give you flowers much earlier than if you waited to plant until Spring. The "Ideal" Rose Collection, you will notice from the abridged description, are actual gems in the Rose Kingdom.

Catherine Mermet—Beautiful clear rose pink.

The Meteor—The darkest and richest crimson.

The Bride—Lovely pure white, pointed bud.

Queen's Scarlet—Deep carnation red, passing to cherry carmine

Comtesse de la Barthe—Rosy flesh, changing to deep rose.

General de Tartas—Brilliant carmine, shaded violet.

Isabella Sprunt—Bright canary-yellow, beautiful bud.

Lucillus—Fine dark crimson. Double, constant bloomer.

Corolla Cook—Pure white, magnificent bud.

Henry M. Stanley—Color, amber rose, tinged with yellow.

Snow Flake—The purest white, always in bloom.

Star of Lyon—Rich golden-yellow, beautiful.

The above Beautiful Set of Twenty-five Winter-Blooming Roses, postage paid only \$1. Strong two-year-old Plants, \$2.25

Meteor—A velvety-red ever-bloomer of the deepest glowing crimson, as fine as a Hybrid. A beautiful open Rose, a free bloomer, and a very excellent pot Rose. It has no tinge of violet or purple to mar its beauty. It is a vigorous, bushy grower, with healthy, bright foliage of the deepest green. The best rich, red Rose for the garden ever introduced. Price, 10 cents each.

Marie Lambert, or White Hermosa—Pure white. It has been called the White Hermosa, as it resembles Hermosa in form and freedom of bloom, and is quite as valuable; for though no claim has been made for it as a fancy Rose, its persistence in bloom will make it a very popular white variety for bedding or for pots. This Rose is fast becoming popular, as there is no better white Rose. Price, 10 cents each.

Papa Gontier—Large, finely formed buds and flowers, fragrant. This variety will be much sought after on account of its beautiful and full buds for wearing and vases. The flowers are large and long, with thick, broad petals of a dark carmine-crimson, changing to pale rose. A bunch of flowers when fully opened, is almost equal to a bunch of Hybrids. Price, 10c.

Duchess de Brabant—A bright China Rose, with coppery-yellow center, ends of petals suffused with carmine. A charmingly beautiful combination of coloring, as each color blends nicely with the other. This variety ranks with the best, and is a Rose of decided merit. Free bloomer, and in size and length of bud equal to the best Teas. Price, 10c. each.

Queen's Scarlet—A very desirable and satisfactory Rose; showy and attractive, a constant and profuse bloomer. The flowers are rich, velvet-scarlet, very brilliant and striking; very large and full; hardy and of vigorous growth. Price, 10 cents each.

Marie Van Houtte—Of a fine, faultless, straw-yellow color, with the outer petals washed and outlined with a bright rosy-crimson. Occasionally the whole flower will be suffused with light pink. It grows vigorously, blooms freely and is most deliciously scented. In cool weather it almost changes color, taking on gorgeous crimson tints. A beautiful and superb Rose. Price, 15 cents each.

Madame Schwallier—New. Blooms in large clusters. Large, globular flowers; color transparent salmon-rose; very delicate and tender; petals finely edged with violet-carmine; highly perfumed. Very fine. Price, 10 cents each.

Clothilde Soupert—The color is a French white, deepening to a rosy-blush in the center, exceeding in distinctness of shading the well known Malmaison. Its greatest value lies in its compact, vigorous habit and wonderful profusion of bloom, even the smallest plants being literally covered with flowers. The form and substance of the flowers are so perfect that the hottest weather does not cause a deterioration of either. Price, 10 cents each.

Mrs. DeGraw—From early Summer until frost it may be depended upon to produce flowers in abundance. In color it is a rich glossy-pink, delightfully fragrant, and is such a strong, vigorous grower that it is almost impregnable against attacks of the insects which usually destroy some of our finest Roses; it is certain to be unequalled for the garden or cemetery. A royal Rose. Price, 15 cents each.

Maman Cochet—The deepest pink, long pointed buds.

Bon Seline—Rosy crimson, very fragrant.

Bridesmaid—The deepest carmine pink.

General Robert E. Lee—Fine orange yellow, beautiful bud.

Marie Lambert—The purest white, always in bloom.

Andrew Swartz—A new, distinct dark crimson velvet.

Crimson Bedder—Richest crimson, very profuse.

Madame de Wattville—The Tulip Rose, rose, white edged.

Viscountess de Wautier—Blush, yellow, white and red.

Mrs. DeGraw—Fine, clear, Hermosa pink.

Madame Welche—Creamy-yellow, orange-copper center.

Madame Caroline Kuster—Bright lemon-yellow, very large.

Madame Lambert—Rosy-bronze, changing to crimson.



Mosella.

The Pretty Tea Rose, RAINBOW.

A lovely shade of deep coral-pink, striped and mottled in the most unique manner with intense crimson and elegantly colored with rich golden amber at center and base of petals. It makes beautiful buds, and the flowers are extra large, very sweet and of great depth and substance. Price, 10 cents each; large plants, 25 cents each.

The Beautiful Tulip Rose, Madame de Watteville

The color is a remarkable shade of creamy-yellow, richly colored with rosy blush. The petals are large and each one widely bordered with bright crimson. The flowers are large, very full, and highly perfumed. This is the Tulip Rose, so called because of the feather shading of bright rose around the edge of every petal, the body of the petal being creamy-white and of heavy texture. Sure to please. Price, 10 cents each; two-year-old plants, 25 cents each.

Two Unequalled Roses for Winter Blooming,

The Bride and Bridesmaid

10 cents each; large two-year-old plants, the two for 40 cents.

White Tea Rose, The Bride—This is decidedly the most beautiful white Tea Rose. It is a sport from Catherine Mermet, with which it is identical in growth and shape of flowers. The flowers are very large and double, on long, stiff stems, of fine texture and substance, and last a long time in a fresh state after being cut, making it one of the best varieties for corsage wear or bouquets. During extreme hot weather it becomes pinkish-white, at other times a beautiful pure white. Price, 10 cents each; large plants, 25 cents each.

New Tea Rose, Bridesmaid—Here we have a new Rose, a sport from that old stand-by, Catherine Mermet. All know that Catherine Mermet takes precedence as a pink Rose. More plants of it are cultivated by the amateur, and more cut bloom is sold by the flower dealer than any pink Rose. Why? Because the bud is of exquisite shape and contour, so solid and firm, and the stems are so long and stiff that no other Rose will compare with it in keeping qualities after being cut. It is about two shades deeper in color—just enough to make it bright; and it is the same color all the time under every condition of weather and surroundings. Price, 10 cents each; large two-year-old plants, 25 cents each.

The Charming New Yellow Rose,

"MOSELLA,"

The Yellow Soupert.

It blooms in profuse clusters of three to five flowers, which are very double, ball-shaped and open like a Camellia flower. The petals are tinted white, on beautiful light-yellow ground extending to the middle of the petals. The plant is dwarf, bushy and free blooming. Offered for the first time this year. It is sure to be a popular companion to the original Clothilde Soupert. Price, 10 cents each; two-year-old plants, 30 cents each.

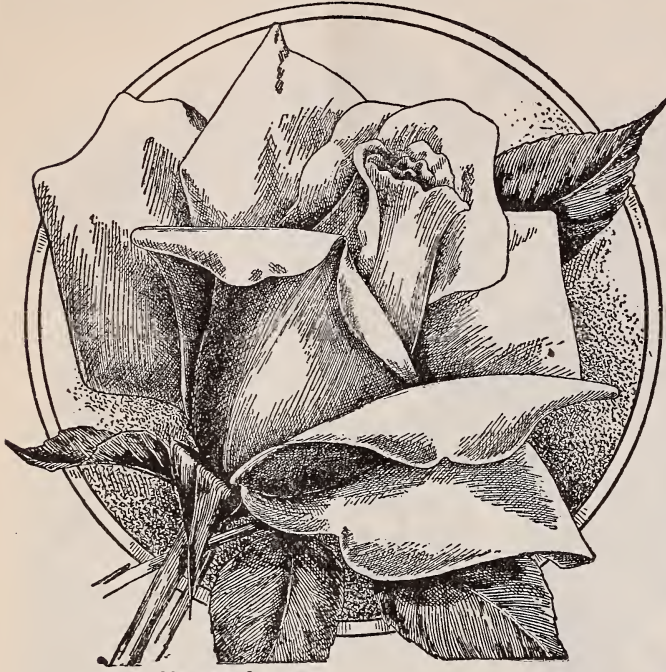
The Richest Dark-Red Rose,

THE METEOR

A velvety-red ever-bloomer of the deepest glowing crimson, as fine as a Hybrid. Flowers of medium size, very double and slightly recurving. A beautiful open Rose, a free bloomer and a very excellent pot Rose. It has no tinge of violet or purple to mar its beauty. It is a vigorous, bushy grower, with healthy, bright foliage of the deepest green. This is unquestionably the best dark velvety-red Rose yet produced. Grand, both in bud and flower. Price, 10 cts. each; large two-year-old plants, 25 cents each.



A Vase of Bridesmaid Roses.



Maman Cochet.

The Beautiful New Ever-Blooming Rose

Maman Cochet

It is a vigorous grower with beautiful foliage. In bud it resembles the Mermet family, being long and shapely, borne on long, stiff stems. It is of the largest size, and, as you will notice, the flower is built up or rounded, and very double. The color is a deep rose-pink, the inner side of the petals being a silver-rose, shaded and touched with golden-yellow. Price, 10 cts. each; strong two-year-old plants, 25 cents.

The Fine New Hardy Climbing Rose : :

Climbing White Pet

This is an unusually vigorous grower and a wonderfully profuse bloomer. It is remarkable for the rapidity of its growth and freedom of bloom. The flowers are very double and full, of medium size, pure snowy-white, and borne in large clusters continuously throughout the whole season. Price, 10 cents each; strong two-year-old plants, 25 cents each.

THE NEW HARDY

Yellow Rambler==Aglaia

This new Hardy Climber produces its flowers in the same manner as the popular Crimson Rambler—that is, in large pyramidal-shaped trusses, frequently being from 50 to 100 flowers in a truss. In color it is a decided yellow, with moderate-sized cup-shaped nearly full flowers which are sweetly scented. Its habit of growth is very strong, frequently making shoots of eight to ten feet in one season. Price, 10 cents each; strong, two-year-old plants, 25 cents.

The Famous New Hardy Climbing Rose Crimson Rambler

This superb novelty is of the Polyantha class; originally received from Japan, and introduced into England in the fall of '93. Flowers are produced in great pyramidal panicles or trusses, carrying from 30 to 40 blooms, the individual flowers measuring from 1 to 1½ inches in diameter, and remaining perfect on the plant for upwards of two weeks with their freshness of color unimpaired; foliage bright green and glossy, and contrasts finely with the bright crimson of the flowers. It is exceedingly hardy. We can recommend this novelty in the strongest manner as being a new Rose of great importance and value. Price, 10 cents each; large, two-year-old-plants, 25 cents each. Above 3 New Hardy Climbing Roses, 25c; large two-year-old plants, 60c.

New Rose,

The Gem OR THE FAIR UNKNOWN

THIS Rose is identical with Marie Van Houtte, except that it is claimed to be twice the size. We have seen enough to know that it will do to talk about and praise. Of a fine, faultless, straw-yellow color, with the outer petals washed and outlined with a bright rosy-crimson. Occasionally the whole flower will be suffused with light pink. It grows vigorously, blooms freely and is most deliciously scented. In cool weather it almost changes color, taking on gorgeous crimson tints. A beautiful and superb Rose. Price, 10c each; large, two-year-old plants, 25c each.

White and Yellow Hermosa Roses

The White Hermosa, Marie Lambert—This is a lovely white Rose, a pure Tea, but a foreign seedling; the freest flowering white Rose we have seen. It will be especially useful in set designs. For a pot plant it cannot be excelled, as it possesses every good quality of a pot Rose. We counted on one plant 143 buds and flower, in a single day, and the plant was only 9 months old. Try it. Price, 10c each; large plants, 25c each.

Yellow Hermosa Rose, Coquette de Lyon—No Rose like it for freedom of bloom. The plant is a fine grower, and carries numbers of flowers on every shoot. A fine yellow Rose, large, not at all formal, but very attractive. Called the Yellow Hermosa, from its free flowering character. We do not know of any Rose that will give the satisfaction that this variety will, and we heartily recommend it. Price, 10 cents each; large plants, 25 cents each.



Crimson Rambler.



Andre Schwartz.

**The Richest Dark-Red Rose,
ANDRE SCHWARTZ.**

A magnificent red Tea. It is a strong grower, with fine healthy foliage; the buds are large and long, with thick, broad petals of a dark carmine-crimson color, changing to a lighter shade in the open flower. An excellent Winter blooming variety, and one of the best for outdoor planting, opening up the flowers in beautiful shape. Price, 10 cents

**A Charming New Tea Rose,
GENERAL ROBERT E. LEE.**

(Introducer's description.) This is the first Rose that we have introduced, and we are sure that it will please all who try it. It is in color an orange-yellow, after the color of Mad. Capucine, only richer and better. It is a good grower, has elegant long buds borne on long stems, and will produce more buds than any Rose we know of. It forces easily, being at its best in mid-winter. There is no variety that will compare with it in all the qualities that go to make up the ideal Rose. The color is so peculiar and rich that it attracts attention wherever seen. Try it. Price, 10 cents each; two-year-old plants, 25 cents each.

**New Crimson Rose,
PRINCESS SAGAN**

The flowers of this variety are the richest crimson of any Rose in our vast collection; a single bud or blossom will catch the eye at a great distance, so brilliant is the color. Indeed, it is unmatched in its velvety richness; could be well termed "The Velvet Rose." It is as free in blooming as Bon Silene. One of our customers in California writes that she is kept busy by people asking her what Rose this is. Price, 15 cents each; large two-year-old plants, 30 cents each.

**The Pure White Tea Rose,
THE QUEEN.**

A most charming Tea Rose. The offspring of that fine old rose, Souvenir d'un Ami, whose many good qualities it seems to possess in a remarkable degree. It is pure snow-white, makes good, finely-formed buds, is quite full, showing the center but slightly when fully open. The petals are thick and of good substance, opens well, is very sweet, and has proved valuable, both for forcing and open ground planting. We recommend it for extended trial, as it will be found a valuable acquisition to our list of pure white ever-blooming roses. Price, 10 cents; two-year-old plants, 25 cents.

Crown Jewels in Roses.

Our Famous Jewel Rose Collection,

Of which many thousand sets were sold the past Spring, we have concluded to offer it this Fall, knowing it makes a splendid Winter blooming Rose set, and the price being so low, every one receiving this book will give it a trial.

The Jewel Set of Six Beautiful Roses for 25 Cents.

Duchess de Brabant —A lovely and sweet pink rose.	Meteor —The finest deep rich velvety-crimson.
Marie Lambert —The famous white Hermosa Rose.	Bridesmaid —The deepest carmine pink.
Etoile de Lyon —The richest golden yellow, fine bud.	Marie Guillot —The finest pure white in existence.

The Jewel Set of Roses for 25 Cents, Postpaid.

New Rose, Henry M. Stanley.

The color is a rare shade of amber-rose, delicately tinged with apricot-yellow towards the center. Reverse of petals clear buff-rose. The flowers are of good substance, very large, finely formed, and very full and fragrant. Price, 10c. each; large two-year-old plants, 25c. each.

The Beautiful New White Tea Rose, White Maman Cochet

The finest Rose of the year; like its parent the growth is vigorous with rich, healthy foliage, producing large fine flowers of the purest white; in fact, it is an exact counterpart of the beautiful Maman Cochet and all who have tried it pronounce it the finest bedding Tea Rose in existence. We would advise all who love choice Roses to plant at least one of this beautiful new Rose. Price, 15 cents each; two-year-old plants, 30 cents each.



White Tea Rose,
THE QUEEN.

A QUINTET OF FINE NEW GERANIUMS



Madame Bruant.

PRICE, 15 CENTS EACH; OR THE SET OF FIVE FOR 50 CENTS.

Md. Bruant—A grand variety, wholly distinct from any other in cultivation. White veined with carmine-lake, florets regularly bordered with bright sofferino, the arrangement of color is exquisite, often intermingling and producing a striped effect; the trusses are large and beautifully formed; the plant is a good healthy grower and very free flowering. Everything considered, this is the most distinct and wonderfully colored variety ever sent out. Price, 15 cents each.

Md. Jaulin—Without question the finest new semi-double Geranium offered in many years. This is an entirely distinct color in the Bruant or bedding type. Very large florets compose a truss of grand size; center of flower very delicate pink, bordered with pure white. For freshness and beauty this variety is unrivaled by any bedding sort, and is equally as valuable for pot culture. Price, 15 cents each.

Fleur Poitevine—Another very distinct colored variety. Large single flowers; color brilliant rosy-carmine, marbled and striped with pure white, producing an aureole of deep orange-carmine at the center; the plant is dwarf, but robust and wonderfully free flowering. Price, 15 cents each.

J. Ricaud—A very fine, free-flowering, double variety with enormous sized trusses on strong footstalks; flowers purplish-crimson of a very intense shade, center very distinctly marked white, shading beautifully into the other color. Should be in every collection. Price, 15 cents each.

J. Sallier—A vigorous growing and remarkably free-flowering variety. Trusses very large and of perfect form, composed of single flowers entirely distinct from any existing variety; edges of the petals carmine-lake; the center is washed in tints of rose and bluish heliotrope color, the upper petals are veined carmine and marked with orange at the base. This is one of the most distinct and valuable Geraniums of the year, and we recommend it highly. Price, 15 cents each.

The Premier Set of Double Geraniums.

Especially Grown for Winter Flowering.

Alphonse Ricard—A strong grower, dwarf and branching and producing flowers in great masses. Both floret and truss are of enormous size, single or slightly doubled, and color a brilliant shade of orange-red. M. Bruant recommends this in the highest terms as a bedder. Price, 15 cents each.

Colossus—Floret quite circular, semi double; two and a half inches in diameter; truss also fine. The color is very beautiful, a rich shade of rosy-crimson. Very free in bloom. One of the very largest and finest among the double reds. Price, 10 cents each.

Emile de Girardin—Of a deep, soft rose, rather than pink, but fresh and bright; the flowers are perfect in form and borne well and clear above the foliage. It stands the sun perfectly, and is, in our opinion, the finest double variety of any color for massing, when a delicate and artistic effect is desired. Price, 10 cents each.

Contraste—Each year Geraniums grow more beautiful; among the most beautiful of new double Geraniums is Contraste. The flowers and trusses are very large. Lower petals orange and carmine, upper petals clear orange, making a striking contrast of colors that is beautiful. Price, 10 cents each.

Theocrite—A distinct new Geranium of the large flowered Bruant race, producing very large, semi-double flowers of the most beautiful and unique form. Its colorings are simply without an equal, a soft, tender rose with violet shadings, entirely distinct from any other variety in coloring. Price, 10 cents each.

Mme. A. Chevreliere—A queen among double whites; the floret is of the beautiful irregular form found in the Bruant type, very large snow-white and a good grower. Flowers well above the foliage and of perfect habit. Price, 10c each.

SPECIAL OFFER The Premier set of double Geraniums for 40 cents.

The Premier Set of Single Geraniums.

Especially Grown for Winter Flowering.

Madonna—A magnificent bedding variety; trusses are of extraordinary size, of almost pansy form, the color is a soft light pink, a beautiful and distinct shade. This variety has been universally admired by all who have seen it in flower. A variety that will probably never be equalled. Price, 10 cents each.

Mrs. J. M. Gaar—Absolutely perfect as a bedding variety; never burns; is of dwarf compact habit, and in freedom of bloom is superior to all whites, and equal to the best scarlet bedders. It is away ahead of all others, and fills a long-felt want in a white bedder. Price, 10 cents each.

Camille Bernardin—Very large trusses, individual florets large and well formed, plants of excellent free-flowering habit; rosy-peach veined with bright rose and streaked and marbled with pure white. This is the best variety we have seen in the Mirande type. Price, 10 cents each.

Aurora Boreale—Extra large flowers of the most beautiful orange-scarlet; fine for massing and one of the showiest and finest of the whole Bruant race, and makes a fine addition to any collection. Price, 10 cents each.

M. Poirier—Another magnificent variety that received a first-class certificate at the Royal Horticultural Society. Trusses of enormous size, beautiful carmine-violet color; upper petals marked with rich violet. Exceedingly free-blooming variety. Price, 10 cents each.

Copernic—Floret perfectly round; a lively, beautiful shade of rosy-carmine, changing to bright salmon at the base of the petals, with small white eye. Very large truss of florets on long foot-stalks, a very noticeable color, and quite distinct. Price, 10 cents each.

SPECIAL OFFER The Premier set of single Geraniums for 40 cents.

The Peerless Winter-Blooming Collection of 12 Single and 12 Double Geraniums, \$1.00

This elegant collection, "The Peerless," consists of 12 fine Double Geraniums and 12 of the finest Single varieties. These are special varieties best adapted and prepared for Winter-blooming. They cannot fail to give you satisfaction. You can have them to give you a fine show of flowers during the Winter and early Spring, then when it is time to do your Summer bedding they will be fine large plants for immediate effect in the garden. If you want flowering Geraniums in the Winter give this set a trial. It is bound to please you.

24 Elegant Winter-Blooming Geraniums for \$1.00, or 6 Double and 6 Single Geraniums of the Peerless Set for 50 Cents.

* THE VERY BEST *

Chrysanthemums

8 CENTS EACH; 4 FOR 25 CENTS.



Ostrich Plume—Mrs. Alpheus Hardy.

Pink Ivory—(Miss A. L. Dalskov.) A sport from Ivory, the most popular of all white Chrysanthemums; it is identical with Ivory in every respect except color, is a beautiful shell-pink.

Puritan—This is undoubtedly one of the choicest as well as largest Chrysanthemums grown—as large as Mrs. F. Thompson; a beautiful silvery-white, turning to pure white.

Mrs. Jerome Jones—It is almost of globular form, of the finest silky finish, and destined to become a popular sort for cutting. The outer petals are a delicate lavender, forming a decided band of color, the inner petals are clear lemon.

Golden Wedding—This is undoubtedly the grandest golden-yellow variety ever introduced. It is a remarkably vigorous grower and has such strength of stem that it carries its great globular flowers erect, giving it a bold majestic appearance.

Mrs. M. R. Parker, Jr.—From Ada Spaulding and Ivory, combining all the good qualities of its parents. Dwarf, robust habit, with unusually strong stem and fine foliage. Flowers seven and a half to eight and a half inches in diameter, with broad cupping and incurving petals, the inner surfaces of which are a rich deep pink, reverse light silvery shade, forming a bright contrast.

Good Gracious—The color is unique, being a delicate shade of peach-pink throughout. The form is remarkable, the petals are incurved and twisted, overlapping each other in irregular fashion, resembling talons.

The Queen—This novelty is undoubtedly the finest white variety up to date. It excels all in purity, extra large in size, of beautiful half globular form with broad incurved, shapely petals of great substance; growth robust, with large, smooth, heavy, deep green foliage.

Mrs. E. G. Hill—Specimens of this fine new early pink Chrysanthemum were passed upon by the judges at the World's Fair, and the exhibitor was awarded a medal and diploma, the points noted being earliness, size, form, color and vigor of growth.

Glory of Pacific—We predict that this showy variety will rank highly among pink sorts. It is of magnificent size and depth, with broad petals, which finally reflex, showing the clear pink color to excellent advantage. It is of dwarf but vigorous habit; very early, large size. Must become a favorite.

Mrs. Henry Robinson—Immense incurving, broad-channeled petals of great substance and the purest white—can be used a few days earlier, but it is a sin to cut it until the center petals have begun to develop; from a flat incurved form it gradually changes into a perfect ball of snow.

Mrs. Alpheus Hardy—(Ostrich Plume.) A novelty that has even surpassed its promise; immense, perfectly incurved flower, with broad petals showing a plush like surface with odd glistening sheen.

W. A. Manda—The flowers are very large, of a clear golden-yellow—the hairy growth being much more fully developed than in the older varieties of this type. It is a much better pot or specimen plant, having a number of flowers on the smallest plants.

Maude Dean—An immense pink variety, finely incurved; petals broad, shell-shaped. One of the largest flowers exhibited in the Fall shows. Almost a pure shell-pink. Received silver medal at Philadelphia, and awarded certificates of merit at New York and Philadelphia.

Miss Kate Brown—A new, early October flowering Chrysanthemum of strong growth and luxuriant foliage; leaves thick and leathery; flowers extra large, reflexed, with petals slightly twisted; color pure snowy-white.

L. Canning—A most exquisite white, absolutely pure. The flower is quite regular in form, very large and flat, the length of petals graduating to the center.

Ivory—Unexcelled for pot culture or cutting; pure white flowers of exquisite form and finish. Has been shown in grand shape at all recent exhibitions; it is especially noticeable for its grand globular form.

Perle of Lyonaise—Bright clear golden-yellow, somewhat plumed, quite full, one of the finest; of medium size; beautiful globular form; new.

Major Bonnafon—Soft, clear yellow, full in the center, eight inches in diameter and nearly as deep. In perfect form and finish, habit dwarf, keeping qualities excellent. It is entirely distinct in color and form from Eugene Dailledouze. It was awarded a World's Fair medal with the highest recommendation from the judges; has won ten first prizes.

Marion Henderson—The texture of the flower is such that we have never seen it in the least affected by damp, although other varieties alongside of it were badly affected. We have never seen a symptom of any disease on it. Will be invaluable for early cut flowers, and we believe will occupy the same position among early varieties that Golden Wedding does among late ones.

Niveus—A splendid snow-white variety. Center irregularly incurving with outer petals reflexing nearly to the stem. Constitution robust, foliage large and abundant, while the keeping qualities of the flowers are unsurpassed.

Mrs. J. G. Whildin—A handsome yellow variety of light tint, fine, large size, and splendid form. A magnificent addition to the scarce, very early, large flowering varieties.

Yellow Queen—The finest very early variety, having been cut in fine condition on the 10th of October. Very large, clear bright yellow, with extra stout stem and foliage.



Two Great Chaysanthemum Offers

THE 25-CENT PRIZE CHRYSANTHEMUM SET.

For only 25 cents we will send you six splendid Chrysanthemums, all different, and all prize winners, that will be a wonder and surprise to you.

THE 50-CENT PRIZE CHRYSANTHEMUM SET.

For only 50 cents we will send you fifteen of the finest prize winning Chrysanthemums, all named kinds; at ordinary prices would cost four times the amount.

Beautiful Winter-Blooming Fuchsias.

Price, 10c each; 3 your choice for 25c.

Avalanche—Beautiful golden foliage with a dark, double violet purple corolla.

Chas. Blanc—Single. Sepals dark red; corolla violet, striped with rose.

Crepuscule—A superb double; color of tube and sepals dark red; corolla violet, striped rose.

De Nivelle—Bright red, reflexed sepals; quite large corolla of rose and violet.

Dolly Varden—Flowers globular, dark red tube and sepals, with rich, dark blue corolla.

Depute Berlet—Corolla large, double, violet; tube and sepals bright red.

Elm City—Sepals rich crimson; corolla deep purple; double, very free flowering; extra fine.

Flocon de Neige—Single. Tube and sepals soft coral scarlet; corolla large, open and bell-shaped; of purest white.

Lady in White—Double, one of the finest among the double whites; of good habit and free blooming.

Mad. Van der Strass—Fine, large, elegant form; sepals long and reflexed; pure red; corolla large double white; finest market double white Fuchsia.

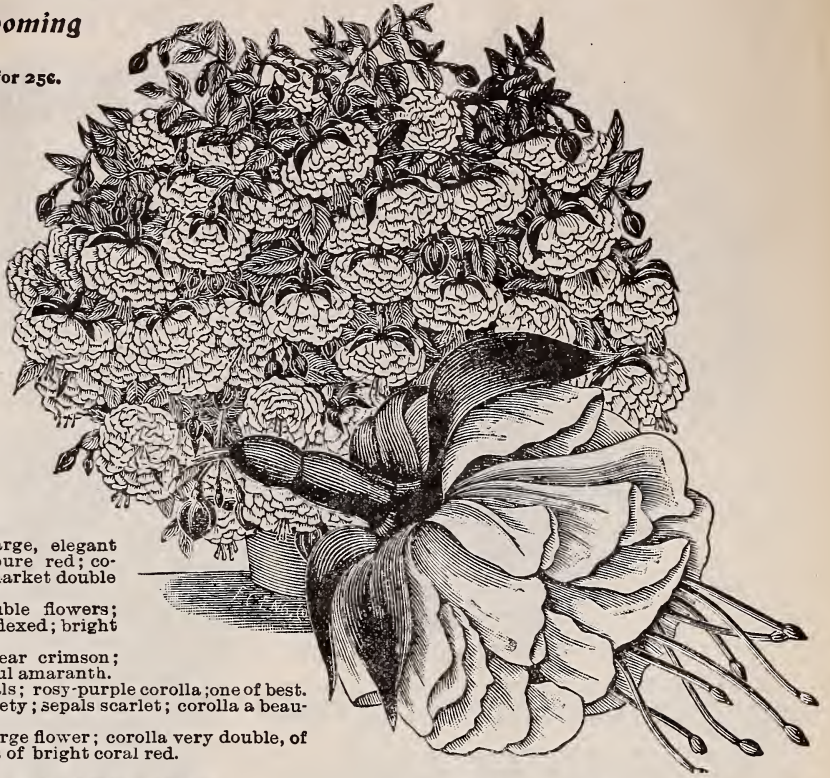
Monstrosa Superba—Large double flowers; pure white corolla; beautifully reflexed; bright scarlet sepals.

Oriflamme—Tube and sepals clear crimson; large, single red corolla; beautiful amaranth.

Rose of Castile—Blush-white sepals; rosy-purple corolla; one of best.

Purple Prince—Fine double variety; sepals scarlet; corolla a beautiful distinct blue; very dwarf.

Sapley Freres—Erect grower; large flower; corolla very double, of rosy-violet; long, recurving sepals of bright coral red.



Rosains Patri.

Trophee—Double; buds round, deep red color. Open flower dark purple.

Walter Long—Single. Bright coral red tube and sepals; clear violet corolla, deeper in color toward edges.

Wave of Life—Foliage bright yellow; corolla bright violet; sepals scarlet.

The Fine Double White Fuchsia, ROSAINS PATRI.

A variety unsurpassed among all the Fuchsias with white corolla. In fact, nearly perfection as to free growing and habit; strong and bushy, beginning to bloom quite early in the Spring and continuing very late. Tube and sepals are brilliant, deep scarlet, thick and leathery in texture; corolla is very large, double and pure white. Price, 10 cents each.

The Great Fuchsia, PHENOMENAL.

The largest Fuchsia we have yet seen—larger than Champion of the World. The tube and sepals are bright coral red, beautifully formed. The corolla, nearly 2½ inches across, is of the very richest violet shade. The habit is remarkably free, and it blooms more freely than any large variety we have seen. Price, 15c each.

The Finest of the Early Flowering Single Fuchsias, LORD BEACONSFIELD.

This is really one of the most charming and desirable Fuchsias in cultivation and should be better known. The habit of the plant is erect and compact, presenting a decidedly neat and attractive appearance as a pot plant. The flowers droop beautifully; they are large, elegantly shaped and of good substance; the calyx is rosy-carmine and the corolla brilliant carmine—a lovely combination. Price, 10 cents each.

Best Single Fuchsia for General Cultivation, THE BLACK PRINCE.

A misnomer so far as name is concerned, being of a bright waxy carmine, tube and petals large and broad, with pale green tips; large, open, pale pink corolla. A wonderfully symmetrical habit and the best all-round Fuchsia we know of. Price, 10c each.

New Fuchsia, MADAM BRUANT.

This is a novel and distinct new Fuchsia, entirely different from any other variety with which we are acquainted. The flower is very large and double. A fine large, rounded corolla with strongly recurved sepals. The corolla is a delicate heliotrope color, suffused with rose slightly marked and veined with carmine; sepals deep coral red, making a beautiful appearance. It is a vigorous grower and of fine graceful habit. This is a decided new color in Fuchsias, which, combined with its fine large flowers and splendid habit will make it popular with all lovers of this beautiful class of plants. Price, 15 cents each.



Md. Bruant.



Begonia Louise Erdody.

NEW
REX BEGONIA,
**Countess
Louise
Erdody.**

A STRIKINGLY peculiar variety of the Rex type, the leaves having a metallic lustre. Appears dark silver in the center, shading to coppery rose toward the margin, yellowish-green veins on both sides, the spiral twisting of the leaves giving it a very curious appearance. Price, 20 cents each.



Rex Begonias.

New Begonia,

ARGENTEA GUTTATA.

This variety is an introduction of M. Lemoine, and is a cross between Olbia and Alba Picta. This beautiful sort has the silvery blotches of Alba Picta and the grace and beauty of growth of Olbia. It has purple-bronze leaves, oblong in shape, with silvery markings, and is in every way a most beautiful Begonia. It produces white flowers in bunches on ends of growth stems. Price, 10c each.

Crimson Leaved Begonia,
SANGUINEA.

A showy variety, with very large leaves, the upper side of which is a rich olive, the under side crimson, and of a peculiar leather-like substance; dainty flowers, light rose to white. Price, 10c each.



Argentea Guttata.

REX BEGONIAS.

This class of Begonias are grown exclusively for the great beauty of their foliage, which is very large and beautifully variegated a peculiar silvery metallic gloss. They are used for plants or warden cases. They dislike our dry, bright sunshine and thrive best in a rather shady, warm and moist situation. We grow several of the most beautiful and desirable Rex Begonias in cultivation. Price, all varieties, 15 cents each; four distinct varieties for 50 cents.

New Begonia,
VERNON.

This elegant new variety is of unusual merit as a bedding sort, flowering fully as free when planted out as when grown as a pot plant. It begins flowering when first planted and continues throughout the whole season until stopped by frost. Foliage rich, glossy green, often shaded deep bronze. Flowers at first opening are a deep red, changing to a beautiful clear rose in the fully open flower. It thrives everywhere and is destined to become one of the most popular of bedding plants. Price, 10c each.

*The Most Satisfactory
of All Winter Flowering Begonias,*

BEGONIA RUBRA.

If you only have one Begonia let it be a Rubra, for it will prove a constant delight. It is so fast growing that it will in a year or two reach the top of your window, sending up heavy, stiff canes an inch in diameter, and rising beside them will grow strong, slender branches, gracefully drooping under heavy waxen leaves and pendent panicles of coral-colored flowers as large as a hand. We have seen a medium-sized plant with more than twenty such panicles at a time. Among the individual flowers you will find three distinct forms growing side by side. One of the most wonderful plants within our knowledge. Price, small size, 10 cents each; large size, 20c each.



Begonia Rubra.



Manicata Aurea.

New Begonia, M. De LESSEPS.

A charming variety of the order of *Argentea Guttata*, the leaf being four times the size of seen in that variety, while the silky texture is the same, and it is beautifully spotted with silver. A very strong, free-growing variety that will succeed with any ordinary care, growing rapidly and sending out quantities of leaves. Price, 15 cents each.

CORAL GEM.



Lotus Pelyorensis—Coral Gem.

LOTUS PELYOORENSIS.

Coral Gem.

This charming plant is so well thought of abroad, that a prominent horticultural journal color-plated it. "The Garden" says of it: "Its cylinder branching habit is most striking, and the silvery foliage even more so. Without its flowers it might almost be described as a Silvery Asparagus." But the bright coral-red flowers, measuring two inches in length, are really beautiful, greatly reminding one of the rare and beautiful *Clianthus*, so difficult to grow, while this gem is of the easiest possible management. Its drooping habit also makes it useful for hanging baskets. It is nearly hardy. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

New Begonia, MANICATA AUREA.

One of the most beautiful variegated plants within our knowledge. The plain green *Begonia Manicata* is a very beautiful variety, clean and glossy, bearing the veil of pink bloom above. But when we find *Manicata* beautifully blotched with cream-color, often pure snow-white, deepening into canary. No other plant we know carries such bold markings nor in so pleasing combination of colors. Everyone who sees it admires it the most of any foliage plant we grow. The cut is a correct representation of the plant. Price, 20 cents each.

New Begonia, THURSTONI.

This *Begonia* is a cross between *B. Metallica* and *B. Sanguinea*, having the bright-red foliage and veining underneath the leaves, and bright metallic green, shading to red, in the younger growth on top, with the deep veinings of the *Metallica* and smooth glossy leaves and red stems of the *Sanguinea*; the flowers are a beautiful deep pink in bud, but when expanded become a beautiful shell-pink. Price, 10 cents.



Grevillea, the Australian Silk Tree.

The Magnificent Decorative House Plant,

GREVILLEA ROBUSTA, or The Australian Silk Tree.

A magnificent plant for decorative purposes, of rapid, easy growth, fully cut foliage, rivaling a rare fern. The young growing leaves are a light brown color, the tips being covered with a soft down closely resembling raw silk, hence the name "Silk Oak." In its native place it attains magnificent proportions and produces an abundance of bright orange-colored flowers. We offer two sizes of this beautiful plant. Nice little plants 10 cents; large size at 25 cents.

OLEA FRAGRANS.

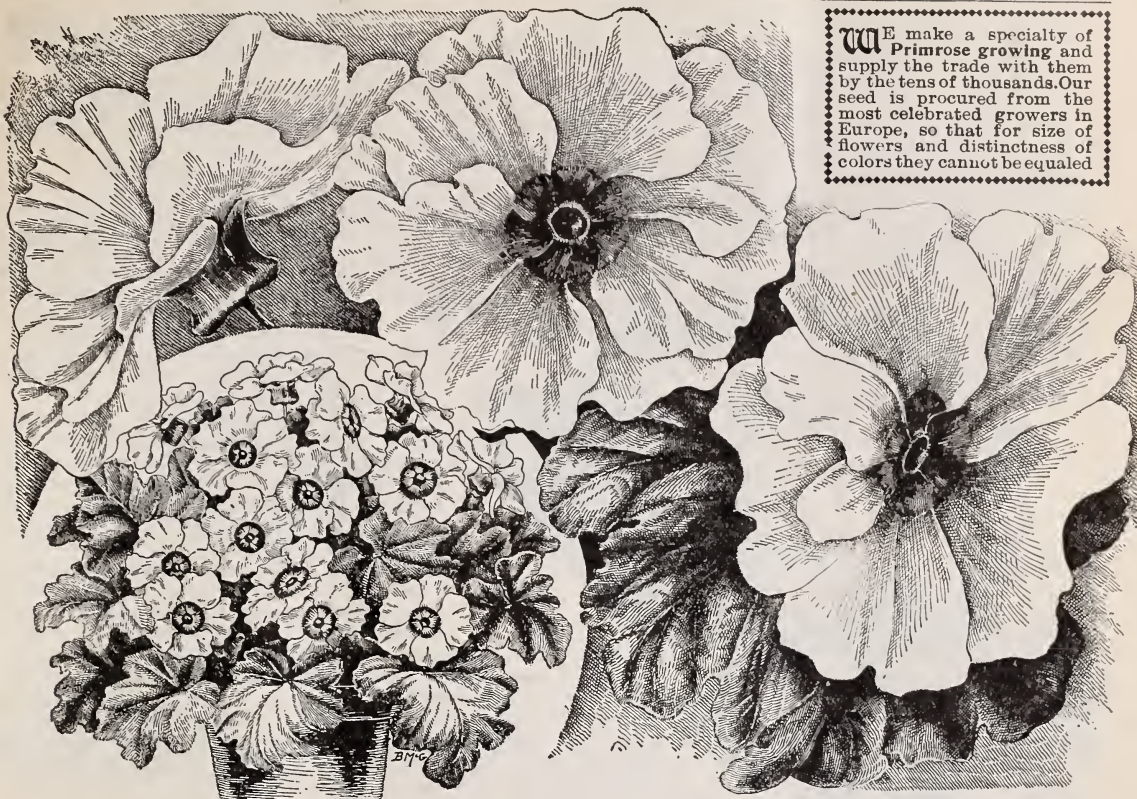
(Tea or Sweet Olive.)

One of the most desirable flowering shrubs of Southern gardens. The white flowers, although small, are produced in clusters, and emit the most pleasing fragrance. It is well said that "each individual bloom has more sweetness than the most fragrant Lily." As a conservatory shrub for Northern florists it will found be invaluable and of ready sale. The blooming period begins in the Fall and lasts for several months. It is of easy culture and especially desirable as a window plant. Price, large plants two feet and over, \$1 each.

CROWN OF THORNS.

Euphorbia Splendens.

A curious plant, with thick, fleshy, twining stems, which are covered with stout, sharp spines nearly an inch long. There is a tradition that this plant furnished the material for the "Crown of Thorns" used in the divine tragedy. The foliage is bright green and the flowers are a beautiful coral-pink, very pretty when in bloom. Price, 15 cents each.



WE make a specialty of Primrose growing and supply the trade with them by the tens of thousands. Our seed is procured from the most celebrated growers in Europe, so that for size of flowers and distinctness of colors they cannot be equaled.

Chinese Primrose in Pot.

The Best of Winter-Blooming Plants,

THE CHINESE PRIMROSE.

FEW plants give better satisfaction than the Primrose, especially for Winter blooming, for which it is particularly adapted. It should be kept in a cool place. A north room is the best. They may be bedded out in a cool, shady place. There is no plant that will produce more flowers during the Winter months than the Primrose. Our Primroses are large flowered and beautifully fringed. Sure to please you.

Alba—Flowers pure white; the foliage pale green.

Rubra—Purplish-red, white eye; fine, strong grower.

Kirmesina Splendens—Bright carmine-pink, with distinct yellow eye.

Pulcherima—Charming white with rose and velvet center.

Coccinea—Bright red, large flowers, beautifully fringed.

Silver Queen—A beautiful, snow-white, fringed variety.

Striata—Flowers white, striped and blotched purple-red.

Price, 10c each, or the set of seven varieties for 50c.

NIGHT BLOOMING JASMINE.

(*Cestrum Parqui*.)

Night Blooming Jasmine—This well known and highly prized plant, blooming nearly all the year round, is a native of Chili; an excellent garden plant, growing rapidly; foliage long and of deep green color, producing its richly fragrant flowers at every joint; sweet only at night. It is also adapted to house culture. Price, 20c each.

Cestrum Auranticum—Pure orange, winter-blooming variety of night Jessamine. Price, 20 cents each; the two varieties for 30 cents.

ASPARAGUS PLUMOSUS NANUS.

(Japanese Lace Fern.)

One of the handsomest of our foliage plants. The leaves are a bright green, gracefully arched, and as finely woven as the finest silken mesh. Their lasting quality when cut is remarkable, retaining their freshness for weeks, hence it ranks as the most valuable plant we have for this purpose, surpassing Maiden Hair Fern in grace, fineness of texture and richness of color. See illustration. Price, fine large plants, 15c; two for 25c; extra large plants or immediate effect, 30c.

CROWN OF THORNS.

(*Euphorbia Splendens*)

A CURIOUS plant, with thick, fleshy, twining stems, which are covered with stout, sharp spines nearly an inch long. There is a tradition that this plant furnished the material for the "Crown of Thorns" used in the divine tragedy. The foliage is bright green and the flowers are a beautiful coral pink, very pretty when in bloom. Price, 15c each.

GLECHOMA HEDERACEA.

(*Variegated Ground Ivy*.)

The foliage of this charming novelty is a bright green, marked with pure white, and has a refreshing fragrance similar to mint. Price, 10c each.



Asparagus Plumosus Nanus.

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THE BABY PRIMROSE..

(*Primula Forbesi*.)

Lovers of beautiful flowers frequently wonder what the next new plant will be like. They often do not know that the very *newest* thing has been cultivated years before—but grown and bloomed unseen. This is exactly the case with the "Baby Primrose" (*Primula forbesi*), which has recently become so popular in Philadelphia and New York.

It is a wonderfully free-blooming plant, commencing to flower as soon as born. It is raised from divisions; also from the seed, though the latter method is inadvisable owing to the uncertain and variable character of the seedlings. It forms a dense rosette of somewhat fleshy leaves, from which spring the flowering stems, twelve, fifteen and even twenty inches tall, supporting three tiers or whorls of dainty flowers of a delicate rosy-lilac, with eye of pale gold. The flowers are not more than half an inch in diameter,

but they are produced in such great abundance that a few plants present a dense mass of bloom, which continues without interruption and with increasing vigor from September until June. The plant then is benefitted by a rest; and, having now formed a dense clump, it is desirable that it be divided and the stock increased thereby, each plant making ten to twelve divisions. As a pot plant it cannot be surpassed. We would advise all our customers to give it a trial; we are confident that its dainty flowers will more than repay you for the expense and trouble.

Price, 20 cents; three for 50 cents.



The Baby Primrose.

PANDANUS UTILIS.

For majesty of form and gracefully arranged foliage, this plant is without a peer, while its vigorous constitution enables it to stand more neglect without serious injury, than almost any other plant we know of. As an ornament for the window its glossy, dark green, serrated foliage renders it unusually attractive, while as a vase plant or single specimen in greenhouse or conservatory it cannot be surpassed. It is also largely used to decorate the halls in our finest private residences and shows grandly on the lawn when grown to a sufficient size. See cut. Price, extra large plants that have an immediate decorative effect, can only be sent by express, \$1 each; fine, handsome plants, 50 cents each.



Pandanus Utilis.



Asparagus Sprengeri.

The Charming New Decorative Plant,

ASPARGUS SPRENGERI.

When introduced, at a high price, a little over a year ago, this variety was received with some hesitation as to its desirability, but after only a limited trial it has come forward with such prominence that the supply will be inadequate to the demand for some time to come. Not only is it useful for cutting in sprays for fine cut-flower work, more particularly in connection with large Roses, etc., but grown in suspended pots it makes one of the prettiest decorative house plants we know of. Used in decorations, as for example in the decoration of mantels, nothing can equal it. Price, 15 cents; two for 25 cents.



Umbrella Plant. (*Cyperus Alternifolius*.)

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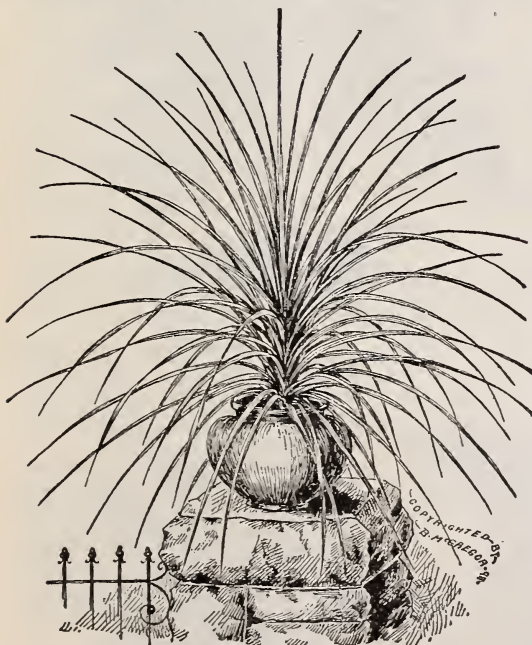
(*Cyperus Alternifolius*.)

An ornamental grass, throwing up stems about two feet high, surmounted at the top with a whorl of leaves, diverging horizontally, giving it a very curious appearance. Splendid for the center of vases or as a water plant. Price, 10 cents each; large, handsome plants, 20 cents each.



New Otaheite Dwarf Orange.

A grand pot plant and one of great beauty and novelty. It is a dwarf orange, which grows, blooms and fruits freely in pots, even when only a foot or two high. The fruit is about one-half the size of ordinary oranges, and very sweet and delicious. The blossoms are produced in great abundance, delicate and beautiful in color and rich in delicious perfume. As a pot plant this lovely dwarf orange is one of the most novel and beautiful that can be grown. It blooms most freely during Winter, though it is likely to bloom at any and all times of the year. Price, 10 cents each; large size, 25 cents.



Dracæna Indivisa.

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One of the most popular plants for house decoration or for center of lawn vases. As a single specimen plant for a gardener in a hall or drawing room it has no equal. It is more graceful than a Palm, and because of its slender, drooping leaves is often called a "Fountain Plant." The leaves are of several shades of green, with delicate stripings of yellow and red, which become marked as the plants grow older. It grows rapidly, is adapted to the close atmosphere of the house, and is very inexpensive. We offer two sizes of this desirable plant. Nice plants, 15 cents each.

... Sanseveria ... Zealanica.

A New Decorative Plant
of Great Value.

There is scarcely a decorative plant listed that is more striking in foliage and habit than this, and certainly none other that stand as much down-right neglect and hardship as well as this. Nothing but frost or continual drenching with water has terrors for it. It will grow in a dark hall, a cool bedroom, or stand on the mantle in a heated sitting room. It will stand gas and dust, and will go for months without a drop of water, yet remain as thrifty as ever. Singularly beautiful, as well as easily grown. Erect, rigid, sword-like leaves, in some old specimens reaching a length of from four to six feet. The leaves are thick and fleshy, a dark-green color with clouded bars of white. Price, 20c each.



Sanseveria Zealanica.



Maiden Hair Fern.

New Sword Fern, *Nephrolepis Cordata Compacta*—One of the finest of all Ferns for house culture or window garden. It is strong growing, compact habit, attaining a height of two feet when fully matured. Its fronds are of a dark green shade, of erect growth, having just enough arch to make them graceful. Price, nice plants, 15 cents each; large plants, 25 cents each; elegant large plants for immediate effect, 50 cents.

The Boston Sword Fern, *Nephrolepis Exaltata Bostoniensis*—A variety which originated in the vicinity of Boston, where it has been in popular favor for a number of years under the name of Boston Fern. In the vicinity of Boston no other plant is used so extensively as this graceful *Nephrolepis*, which differs from the ordinary Fern in having much longer fronds, which frequently attain a length of four feet. These fronds arch and droop over very gracefully, on account of which it is frequently called the Fountain Fern. This drooping habit makes it an excellent plant to grow as a single specimen on a table or pedestal. Price, nice plants, 15 cents; good large plants, 25 cents; elegant large plants for immediate effect, 50 cents.

New Sword Fern, *Nephrolepis Pictineata*—A dwarf variety of the Sword Fern; admirably adapted for hanging baskets. Price, 15 and 25 cents.

New Sword Fern, *Nephrolepis Davallodes Fureans*—A highly ornamental production from Java, with long, deep-crested fronds, of a bright, glossy green color; a strong-growing variety; strong plants. Price, 25 and 50 cents.

Sword Fern, *Nephrolepis Exaltata*—In well-grown specimens the fronds attain a length of six or seven feet, but only one to three inches wide, and like plumes arching over in every direction, in a most graceful manner. Price, 15 and 25 cents.



Pteris Tremula.

..Beautiful Ferns..

THESE beautiful plants are now very generally cultivated. Their great diversity and gracefulness of foliage make them much valued as plants for vases, baskets or rock work, or as specimen plants for parlor or conservatory. Keep them out of the direct sunlight, and water carefully, that the delicate roots lying near the surface may never become dry.

The Beautiful Maiden Hair Fern, *Adiantum Cuneatum Grandiceps*—A very beautiful form of *A. Cuneatum*, having long, graceful fronds, with the ends of the fronds developed into bunching-tasseled heads; a distinct and lovely variety. See cut. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

Adiantum Pubescens—Another charming variety of Maiden Hair Fern that is easily grown and very effective. Heavy long fronds of regularly pinnated and of a lustrous green. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

Blechnum Occidentalis—A beautiful, strong grown dwarf Fern with fronds of a light green. The young leaves have a charming pink lustre. Price, 15 cents each; two for 25 cents.

Peters' *Cretica Albo-Lineata*—A pretty and useful variegated variety, distinctly showing the clear white variegation. A useful and easily grown Fern. Price, 15c each; two for 25c.

Lomaria Gibbs—A most desirable species, with very finely divided pinnae; excellent for table decoration. Price, 15 cents; two for 25 cents.

Silver Fern. (*Pteris Argylea*.)

The Beautiful Silver Fern, *Pteris Argylea*—A very showy Fern, with variegated foliage; fronds large, light green, with broad band of silver-white down the center of each. Very distinct. Price, 15 cents each; fine large plants, 25 cents each.

The Beautiful Gold Fern of Australia, *Gymnogramma Alstonii*—This exceedingly novel and beautiful variety bears leaves of a dark green on the upper surfaces, while the under surfaces are richly covered with a deep golden farinose powder. It is a most striking plant when viewed from beneath, while from above the unfurling young fronds show the rich golden color quite a little. Price, 25 cents each.

Pteris Tremula—(Shaking Fern.) The foliage of the *Pteris* varieties is large; very graceful. The slightest movement of the air shakes the leaves of this kind, which we recommend more than any other for house culture, etc. It grows readily and very fast. Keep the leaves from dust and sprinkle slightly every warm day. Price, 15 cents each; large plants, 25 cents each.

SPECIAL OFFER WE WILL SEND YOU BY MAIL, POST-PAID, EIGHT DISTINCT CHOICE VARIETIES OF FERNS, STRICTLY OUR SELECTION, FOR ONE DOLLAR.

...PALMS...



Cocos Weddelliana.

Areca Lutescens—A most elegant Palm. One of the best for general decorative purposes, easily grown, useful in every stage of its growth, fine color, graceful habit, stems golden yellow. Price, 20 cents each; nice plants, 20 and 35 cents each.

Cocos Weddelliana—The most elegant and graceful of all the smaller Palms. Its slender, erect stem is freely furnished with graceful arching leaves of a rich green color. The Cocos are admirable for Fern dishes, as they are of slow growth and maintain their beauty for a long time. Price, 60 cents each; large plants, \$1.00 each.

Kentia Belmoreana—The Kentias are among the best of the Palm species for general cultivation, being almost impregnable against diseases. This variety is one of the best in its class; graceful habit, bright green foliage gracefully disposed; a decorative plant for the window, dinner table or conservatory it scarcely has an equal. Price, small plants, 35 cents each; a larger size, nice plants, 50 cents each; handsome specimen plants, can only be sent by express, \$1.50 each.

Kentia Fosteriana—This is one of the finest pot plants imaginable, and the easiest to grow of any of the Palm family. Being almost hardy, it is not injured by slight changes in the temperature, and its stiff, glossy leaves enable it to stand the dry, hot air of the living room without injury. The leaves are a deep, glossy green, fan-shaped, split deeply into segments. This is, without exception, the most hardy of its class. It is very graceful for table decoration. Scarcely has its equal. Price, small plants, 35 cents each; larger size, 50 cents each; handsome specimen plants, can only go by express, \$1.50 each.

Phoenix Canariensis—(The Canary Island Date Palm.) No other Palm has gained so speedily in public favor the last few years as this handsome habitue of the Canary Islands. This Palm belongs to the pinnate class, which means that its branches are feather-shaped. These branches are long, gracefully arched, and are borne in luxuriant abundance. Small plants, 15 cents each; large specimen plants, two to three feet, can only be sent by express, \$2.00 each; a small size at 20 cents each.



Ficus Elastica Belgica.

Are now indispensable in all decorations, whether for apartments, conservatories, or for tropical bedding in the Summer. The following is a select list of the best kinds, and those that are better adapted for house culture.

NOTICE—It may be well to state here that young Palms do not resemble the illustration given, as they do not show their character leaves until the second or third year, so that when you get your Palm plants and see long, narrow leaves instead of the character leaves as shown in the illustration, do not think that the wrong kind has been sent you.

Palms priced at more than 50 cents should be ordered sent by Express, as they cannot be safely sent by Mail.

Latania Barbonica—Leaves large, fan-shaped, of a very cheerful green color; plant of hardy constitution, and adapted to all decorative purposes, within or without doors; appreciated by all the plant-loving community. The cut shows a healthy plant of about four years old. Nice young plants, 15 cents each; larger plants, 25 cents, 50 cents and \$1.00 each; extra size, two to three feet, \$2.00.



Latania Barbonica.

FICUS ELASTICA BELGICA--The New Belgian Rubber Tree.

The difference between the new and the old variety of Rubber plants is that in the Belgian variety the foliage is larger with a bronze luster; it also grows much more rapidly. We offer both varieties to you at the same price—25 cents, 50 cents, to \$1 each.

FICUS ELASTICA--India Rubber Tree.

Very large, smooth, leathery leaves, evergreen foliage. Generally esteemed one of the finest house plants grown, the plant attaining a large size and tree-shape. Each new leaf is enclosed in a long, coral-red envelope, looking like a great red flower bud. Price, fine plants, 25 cents, 50 cents to \$1.00 each.

NEW VARIEGATED-LEAVED FICUS.

(Ficus Elastica Variegata.)

This new and striking Rubber tree has green leaves with large, irregular, greenish-yellow, yellow or creamy blotches. It is a handsome variety, and admirers of variegated foliage will find this plant quite a novelty, as it is but little known. This must not be confounded with the old Ficus Parcellii, as it has leaves of the same shape and texture as the Ficus Elastica. Price, \$1.00 each.

REMEMBER--That all Rubber plants (Ficus) except the size priced at 25 cents, should go by express, as packing for mail damages and crushes the leaves.

Four Beautiful Violets

ALL delightful perfumes, that of Violets is the most delicate and pleasant, and places the modest little blue flowers among our greatest favorites. Violets grow and bloom during the dead of Winter with no trouble whatever, if given a cool situation, but will not succeed in a warm place. The following four sorts are the best of all the Violets, and are all distinct in color.

Hardy Double English Violet.

Is entirely hardy, perfectly double, a deep violet purple color and most deliciously fragrant. It surpasses the well known "Marie Louise" Violet in richness of color, being many shades darker, and far excels it in its delightful odor; this is one of its greatest merits. It is entirely free from disease of any kind, will grow and bloom in any garden and in any situation. Nothing is more appropriate for cemetery plots than the Hardy Double English Violet. Price, 15 cents each.

New Double White Perpetual Flowering Violet,

Swanley White, or Queen of Fragrance

Of all the White Violets, this is the best, either for pot culture in the house or bedded out. In pots it grows luxuriantly, and is loaded with flowers. It is not an uncommon sight to see as many as fifty large flowers open at once, presenting a beautiful sight, their delicious perfume filling a whole room. Price, 10 cents each.



English Hardy Violet.

New Single Violet, Princess of Wales.

Is far ahead of any other single Violet known; hardy, vigorous growth; plants are wonderfully free-flowering, with stems from ten to twelve inches long, large green leaves of a thick, leathery texture. The grand single flowers, of a true violet-blue color that does not fade, are of round, symmetrical form, almost as large as pansies, and of the richest, most delicious fragrance. So large and circular are the flowers that some blooms will cover a silver dollar. Price, 15c.

New Single Violet, California.

This beautiful Violet has created a decided sensation. It was raised in California, where it was cultivated by the hundreds of acres as cut flowers. Buyers prefer it to all others. It is entirely hardy and of the richest dark-blue and very fragrant. Price, 15 cents each.

One each of these
4 beautiful Violets
for Thirty Cents.



Double White Perpetual Flowering Violet, Swanley White.

THE BEAUTIFUL MEXICAN PRIMROSE.

A charming basket or pot plant. It is certainly a very worthy plant and indispensable to every collection. Flowers beautiful bright, clear pink color, veined scarlet, with bright center. Plant seldom grows over ten inches high, but inclines to a trailing habit, spreading its branches out over the ground or drooping over the sides of the pot. We offer nice plants at 8 cents each; four for 25 cents; ten for 50 cents.

SOLANUM JASMINOIDES GRANDIFLORUM.

Beautiful plant of climbing habit, attaining a height of three to five feet, but can be grown in bush form; flowers star-shaped, borne in clusters, large, pure white, with violet tinge on back of petals and on buds. In pots it is a continuous bloomer both Summer and Winter. Price, 10 cents each.

FEVERFEW—LITTLE GEM.

The great value of the old Dwarf Feverfew for cut flowers during the Summer, Fall and Winter is well known to florists and others. This variety surpasses it in every way. It is very dwarf, attaining a height of from twelve to eighteen inches. The flowers are larger, of more perfect form and of purest white. Price, 10 cents each; three for 25 cents.

CAREX JAPONICA VARIEGATA.

New ornamental Japanese grass; extremely useful as a

house plant; of easy growth, standing dry atmosphere of heated rooms with impunity, and at the same time hardy if planted out in the garden in Summer. Price, 15 cents each.

SWAINSONIA GALEGIFOLIA ALBA.

A most desirable ever-blooming plant, with pure white flowers, produced in sprays from 12 to 20 flowers each, the individual blooms resembling a Sweet Pea. As a decorative plant for the window or conservatory, we know of nothing that will give as much satisfaction as the Swainsonia. Its easy culture, growing in almost any light position, beauty of the flower, and entire plant will undoubtedly make this one of the most popular plants in cultivation. Price, 15c. each.

CYCLAMEN or PERSIAN VIOLET--New Improved

There is no more ornamental plant for greenhouse or parlor culture than the Cyclamen. It grows readily, blooms freely, and remains a long time in flower. The soil should be equal parts of turfy loam, leaf mould and silver sand. Put in pots three times the diameter of the bulb in October. Keep them in a cool, light place, watering lightly until growth begins. Then water freely and give plenty of light and air. On the approach of cool weather remove to a warmer situation, the parlor or greenhouse, but keep them near the light. The whole secret of growing Cyclamens to perfection is light, air and low temperature. Nice bulbs. Price, 20c.



Oxalis Ortgiesi.

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FEW new plants will give better satisfaction than this, as it is a perpetual bloomer in every sense of the word. It is in full bloom every day in the year, when grown in a pot of good soil and with ordinary care. It grows as freely as a Geranium in any situation. It grows twelve to eighteen inches in height, branching freely and loaded at all times with clusters of bright, golden, star-shaped flowers, which do not close at night, like other Oxalis. Beautiful as the flowers are, it is still a splendid plant without them, on account of its highly ornamental foliage. The leaves are three-lobed, dark, olive-green above, and a beautiful shining metallic crimson-purple underneath, and wine colored stems. Price, 10c.



Hardy Spirea Anthony Waterer.

Anthony Waterer.

A new crimson-flowered variety, one of the most beautiful of dwarf-flowering shrubs. It makes a low, compact bush, 15 to 18 inches high; is covered nearly the whole growing season with large umbels of deep crimson flowers. Price, 25c.

Heliotropes.

THESE are universal favorites on account of their delightful fragrance. Flowers equally well as bedding plants in Summer, or as pot plants in the house during the Winter.

Price, 10c each; three for 25c, your selection.

Florence Nightingale—Splendid market kind; always healthy; flowers bright lavender, good truss.

Madame de Blonay—Fine, large, strong foliage, producing very large trusses of pure white flowers.

Mrs. David Wood—It is a very nice, distinct Heliotrope, with large trusses of violet flowers of light center.

Albert Deleaux—Foliage is a bright golden-yellow, marked slightly with a delicate green.

Madame Bruant—Immense panicles of very large flowers, a rich purple with large white eyes.

Albatross—Beautiful, close panicles, flowers with large, white center, bordered violet-lilac.

Mme. A. Carriere—It has a very large white eye, contrasting with the bright blue; panicles very large, extremely free-bloomer.

Fleur de Ete—A new sort, having panicles of bloom of the largest size, the individual florets being a wide trumpet shape; beautiful shade of blue, shading to white.

Piccola—Rosy-violet, indeed almost a red, with a distinct white center; showing upright growth, producing immense heads of flowers well above the foliage.



Florence Nightingale.

The Yellow Jasmine.

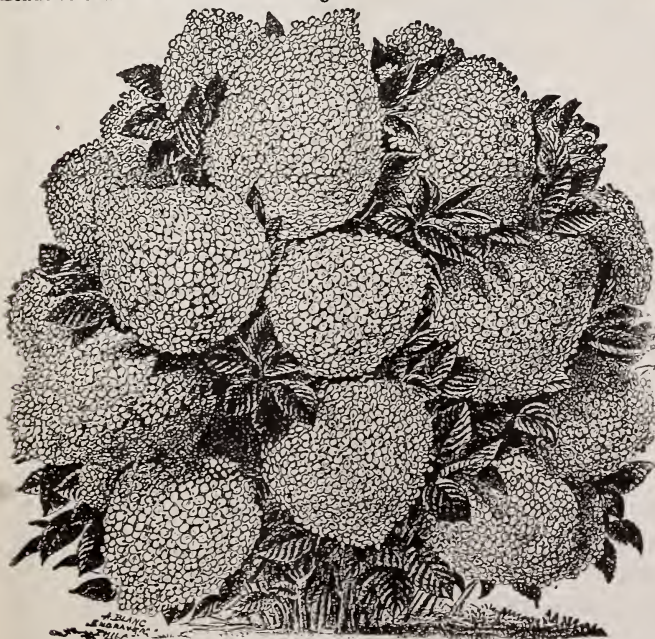
Almost every one has either read or heard of the famous Southern Yellow Jasmine. Tourists go into ecstasies over it, and carefully press sprays of the blooms to carry to their Northern homes as mementoes of a Winter spent in "The Land of Flowers." There is not an easier grown or more beautiful climber in cultivation for the window, succeeding in almost any situation. It is quick growing, has beautiful shining evergreen foliage, and completely loads itself with its beautiful golden yellow, sweet scented, funnel shaped flowers. Price, 15c; large plants, 25c.

The White Jasmine, Grandiflorum.

A beautiful plant, with small, glossy, evergreen foliage. It blooms in the Fall and Winter, bearing profusely small, pure white flowers of a spicy fragrance. Price, 10c each; large plants; 25c.

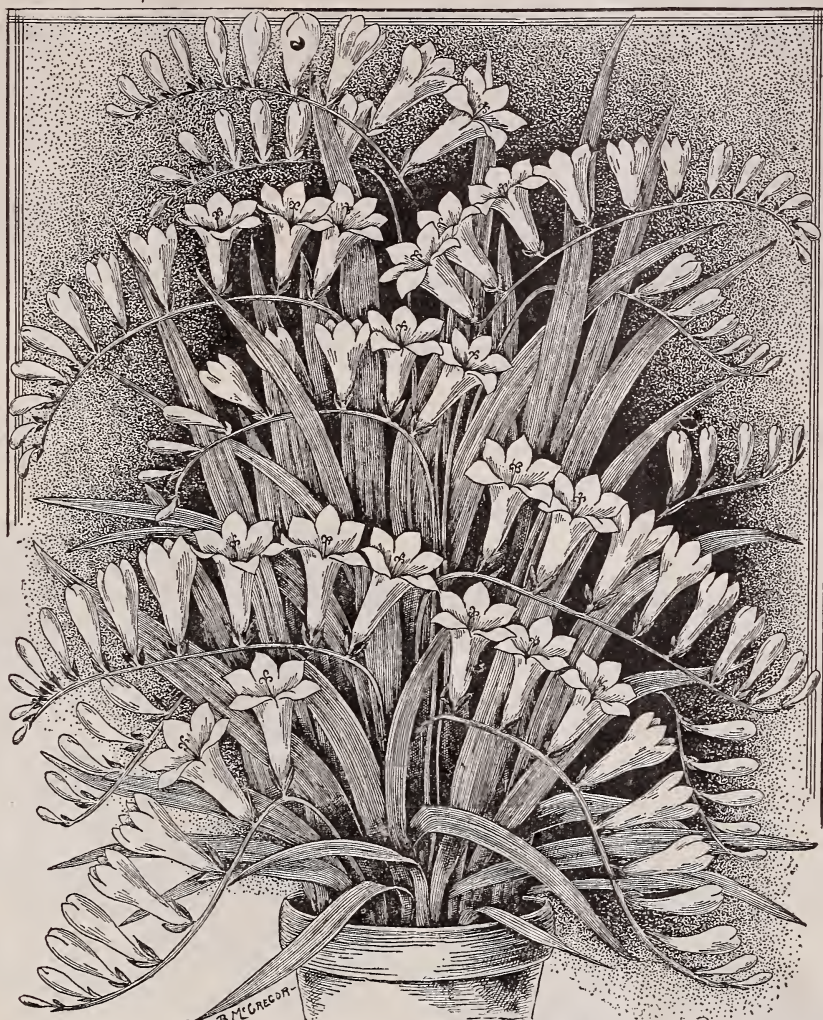
New Hydrangea, Paniculata Grandiflora.

This is one of the most hardy Shrubs in cultivation. It attains a height of 3 or 4 feet, and is perfectly hardy in all parts of the country. The flowers are white, borne in immense pyramidal panicles nearly a foot in length. It commences flowering in July and continues until November. The plant should be cut back every Spring at least one-half of the last season's growth, as the flowers are borne on new wood and are much finer when the plants are treated in this way. This is the finest flowering Shrub for cemetery planting we know of. See illustration. Price, large plants, 25c each.



Hardy Hydrangea Paniculata Grandiflora.

The Beautiful *Freesia Refrecta Alba*



A POT CONTAINING SIX FREESIA BULBS.

THE charming and novel blossoms of this popular flowering Bulb are well shown in our illustration. For Winter blooming in the house it is probably today the most popular of all. It is sure to succeed and flower elegantly for any one in any situation. The splendid blossoms are borne in great profusion; color purest white, the lower petals touched with yellow. The perfume is delicious, reminding one of Hyacinth, Mignonette and Jessamine combined. There are six to eight flowers on a stem nine inches high, which are particularly valuable for cutting, remaining in good condition for two weeks. Four to six bulbs can be planted in a five-inch pot, box or pan and grown like other bulbs. By planting at intervals from September to November, a succession of flowers can be had throughout the Winter. We offer the largest and finest Bulbs and earnestly recommend every one to plant at least a few of this lovely variety. Price, 3 cents each; six for 15 cents; twelve for 25 cents; twenty-five for 50 cents.